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THE WAR IN GREECE IS AT AN END.

King George Accepts the Offer of the Powers to Arrange a Treaty of Peace With Turkey.

ALL FIGHTING TO BE STOPPED.

Greece to Pay an Indemnity to Turkey of $25,000,000.

AMBASSADORS AT WORK.

The Sultans Troops Will Soon Be Withdrawn From Thessaly.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ATHENS, May 11.—The diplomatic talk has been brought to a definite conclusion.

Greece has formally adhered to the preliminaries of peace agreed upon between the Powers and the heads of the different legations have received positive assurances investing them with authority to treat with Turkey.

ALL ACCEPTED.

The collective note from the Powers on the subject of mediation has been presented to the Greek Minister of Foreign Affairs, M. Skoulodis, by the Russian Minister, M. Onou. It is understood the Greek Government accepted the conditions imposed and confided its interests to the care of the Powers.

Active measures, it is further stated, were taken at Constantinople today to stop further advance of the Turkish troops.

Greece having accepted mediation, the ambassadors of the Powers at Constantinople have been instructed to approach the Turkish Government with a view to ascertaining upon what condition Turkey will agree to declare peace.

ENGLAND NOTIFIED.

LONDON, May 11.—In the House of Commons today the first Lord of the Treasury and the Government leader, A. J. Balfour, announced that information had been received this morning from all the representatives of the Powers at Athens saying mediation between Greece and Turkey had been offered the former country and accepted by the Greek Government.

EXPENSES OF THE WAR.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 11.—The expenses of the war with Greece are estimated at $25,000,000, which Greece will pay as an indemnity in annual installments, guaranteed by Thessalian revenues.

TROOPS MOVING.

A dispatch from Larissa says the Imperial army is marching in two columns from Pharsalos on Domokos and Almyra. Fighting is expected today. An Imperial trade just issued orders gold and silver medals struck for presentation to the troops taking part in the war against Greece.

A FIGHT IN SIGHT.

LAMIA, Thessaly, May 11.—Two thousand Turks have been sent to Lake Nezero to close the road between Domokos.

Three thousand Greeks have been dispatched to reinforce the Greek troops at Domokos.

The efforts of the Greek commanders are directed towards preventing the Turks from surrounding Domokos, which would possibly result in the capture of the main body of the Greek troops under Crown Prince Constantine.

The following is the text of the new offer of the Powers:

"The representatives of France, Italy, Great Britain, Germany and Austria, charge M. Onou, a representative of Russia, and a dean of the diplomatic corps, to declare in the name of their respective governments that the Powers are ready to offer mediation with a view to obtain an armistice and smooth the difficulties actually existing between Greece and Turkey on the condition that the Hellenic government declares that it will proceed to recall its troops from Crete, adhere formally to autonomy for Crete and accept, unreservedly the counsels which the Powers give in the interests of peace."

The reply by the government is as follows:

"The Royal Government, in taking note of the declaration of the Russian representative acting in the name of the ministers of the Powers, declares that it will proceed to recall the royal troops from Crete, adhere formally to autonomy for Crete and confides the interests of Greece to the hands of the Powers."

AS SEEN BY CRANE.

The Author-Correspondent on the Attack on Velestino.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 11.—The Journal publishes a cable dispatch from Stephen Crane, who saw the battle of Velestino, where General Smolenski hurled back Edhem Pasha. Mr. Crane says:

Velestino has proved that the Greek soldiers when well led, can cope successfully with Turks, even though outnumbered. This battle has proved them great fighters, long fighters and stayers. To be sure, the army retreated fom Velestino, but it was no fault of the army. The commander bit his fingers and cursed when the order came to retreat. He was at that time perfectly confident of success. For three days he had been holding the Turks back and inflicting upon them heavy losses.

Then came the order to fall back, due to reverses or something in other places.

General Smolenski knew of course, his retreat would be at the sacrifice of Volo, and he raged. But orders must be obeyed; hence the occupation of the Turks first of Velestino and later Volo. In the middle of intoxication of victory came the orders to fall back. Why?

I only arrived at noon of the second day. The roll of musketry was tremendous. From a distance it was like tearing a cloth; nearer it sounded like rain on a roof, and close up it was just a long crash after crash. It was a beautiful sound—beautiful as I had never dreamed. It was more impressive than the roar of Niagara and finer than thunder or avalanche—because it had the wonder of human tragedy in it. It was the most beautiful sound of my experience, barring no symphony. The crash of it was ideal.

The slaughter of the Turks was enormous. The fire of the Greeks was so fierce that the Turkish soldiers while charging shielded their eyes with their hands. Eight charges the Turkish soldiers made on Saturday and they were repulsed each time. The desperate Turkish cavalry even attacked their enemy on a steep, rocky hill. The insane, wicked squadrons were practically annihilated. Scattered fragments slid slowly back, leaving the plain black with wounded and dead men and horses. From a distance it was like a game. There was no blood, no expression, no horror to be seen. All the assaults of the Turks this day resulted disastrously to them. The Greek troops fought with steadiness of salaried bookkeepers, never tired, never complaining. It was a magnificent exhibition. The Greeks fought all the time with the artillery fire on them, even in a musketry

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CAN NOT EXPEL.

Allopaths Will Not Alter Their Action About Fabiola.

SIMPLY WANT EQUAL RIGHTS.

Will Meet Tonight and Further Discuss the Matter.

STATEMENT OF DR. BUTEAU.

Says the Regulars Have Been Ignored Fifteen Years.

The Alameda County Medical Society will hold its regular monthly meeting tonight and the members will express themselves more fully on the matter of withdrawing from practicing at Fabiola Hospital.

It is not possible for the Society to expel any members who do not comply with the resolution regarding Fabiola, but it is very probable that those who do not fall in line will withdraw.

"This matter is not thoroughly understood," said Dr. Buteau. "An attempt has been made to have it appear that we are inaugurating a war upon the homeopaths. This is not true, for we are not doing anything of the kind. What we want is to have an equal representation on the staff at Fabiola and an equal share of the work. We have done as much toward building up Fabiola as the homeopaths and we want just as much recognition. The ladies of that institution are continually asserting that no discrimination is shown, that homeopaths are no more in favor than allopaths. With all due respect to the ladies, they are certainly misinformed. Fabiola is a homeopathic missionary institution and about four-fifths of all the patients there are treated by homeopaths.

"We do not approve of this. If both schools are on an equal footing there would be about the same proportion of the work done by both schools in the hospital as there is on the outside. This, however, is not the case, for the regulars do about ninety per cent of the work in this city and in the hospital this condition of affairs is reversed. We claim that this is not accidental, and as it has continued for fifteen years, we believe it to be intentional. Under the circumstances no member of the regular school can with professional dignity, continue to practice in a homeopathic hospital, such as Fabiola.

WHERE THEY STAND.

"We are not antagonizing homeopathy, but we do intend that we shall not be imposed upon any longer. We want half the work at Fabiola and not less than a quarter. Furthermore, we contend that the record of Fabiola clearly shows the truth of our contention and the justice of the stand we have taken. For fifteen years Fabiola's resident physician has been a homeopath. That certainly does not look like equal patronage. If the hospital is carried on without favor to either school it would only be right to alternate the schools and give the resident physician's place to an allopath every alternate two years, for which time the appointment is made. Surely once in fifteen years we have been entitled to some consideration, but it has not been shown us and at last we have taken a definite stand in the matter.

"There are a few who have signified their intention of remaining in practice at Fabiola, but we cannot help that. There are a few kickers in every large body of men. Among doctors they are generally men who have little practice or who have just come into a community, and they look for just such an opportunity to get a little cheap notoriety. We cannot expel them, as their offense is not of such a nature as to warrant it. It is an offense against the ethics of the profession, and not against our practice, and we can only decline to have anything to do with them. We cannot with dignity consult with them and so we will just leave them alone. If they wish to consult with homeopaths, they are at liberty to do so, but we cannot see how there can be any alliance between God and Belial.

WHEN NOT HOMEOPATHIC.

"The only time that Fabiola is not homeopathic is when it is in need of money. On May Day and such occasions Fabiola is beautifully impartial. The cards sent out contain the names of physicians of both schools and we are told it is non-sectarian and that all schools of medicine are welcomed there. On this showing it has been supported by people who believe in both schools. We contend that this is not a fair statement of the case.

"Frederick Delger, who is a believer in allopathy, gave $7,500 to Fabiola, General Kirkham left $5,000 to it in his will, and so it has been right along, it has been helped as much by one set of people as the other. The allopathic doctors have done their share toward creating public sentiment in favor of the hospital and we want recognition of that fact. The longer we allow ourselves to be discriminated against, the longer we shall have to contend for our rights.

"In this city the so-called homeopaths have done fairly well, because they are not honest in their profession. They practice as much allopathy as their own little pill business. There is not a doctor in Oakland today who practices the Hahnemann theory of medicine. Every year they are using more and more of our methods and of course they are proportionately successful. This being so, it is not to be supposed that we are going to work at a disadvantage in a semi-public institution where it is publicly stated that all things are equal when they are not. Even if the homeopathic doctors practiced homeopathy according to their text-books we would not care quite so much, because they would soon compass their own end; but they do not do so, but are continually encroaching on our methods of practice until we cannot longer continue to professionally countenance any such methods. In no other city in the United States does such a condition prevail. On account of these practices homeopathy has quite a footing and it is greatly due to the work of the so-called impartial Fabiola.

FABIOLA NURSES.

"Another point that we must not overlook is the missionary work done by the Fabiola nurses in the interests of homeopathy. These nurses are trained under a homeopathic resident physician and of course are grounded in homeopathic methods. They go out from there into all kinds of families and naturally are homeopathic in their training and tendencies. They are almost unfitted to be trusted with the patients of allopathic doctors, especially in difficult cases, and as a result they quite often induce a patient to call in a homeopath. If the practice at Fabiola were apportioned equally we should at least have one-half of the nurses trained in our methods. This is the status of our connection with Fabiola Hospital. It is not a row between the two schools, as some on the other side are trying to make it appear, but an action forced on us because of manifest discrimination.

TRANSPORTING FRUIT.

Some Trouble Arises Over the Business in the East.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

CHICAGO, May 11.—Two bills, each asking for a receiver for the California Fruit Transportation Company were filed today in the Superior Court. There is a quarrel between the stockholders of the corporation, one party accusing the other of mismanagement.

The company has been engaged since 1889 in the transportation of fruits and vegetables from California to Chicago and other markets further East.

Frederick A. Thomas, the president, sues for a receiver in the name of the company.

The other bill is filed by President Thomas and H. A. Thomas, the general manager. The defendants are Eugene R. Hutchins, vice-president; Wm. H. Hubbard, secretary and treasurer of the Hutchinson Refrigerator Car Company and the Dairy-Dealers' Despatch Company.

The trouble apparently emanates from the organization by Hutchins & Hubbard for companies to engage in the same business.

STARVED HIS MEN.

As a Consequence He Is Indicted by the U. S. Grand Jury.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 11.—The Grand Jury of the United States Court today indicted Captain Edward W. Reed of the ship T. F. Oakes, for maliciously and without justifying cause withholding food from his crew on a voyage from Hong Kong to this port.

TARDY PUPILS.

The Report of Mr. McClymonds for the Month of April.

The report of Superintendent McClymonds shows a decrease of tardy pupils in April. In March there were 498 tardy, as again 444 in April. The tardy list for April, by schools, is as follows:

Central, 104; Clawson, 7; Cole, 6; Durant, 51; Franklin, 24; Garfield, 7; Grant, 4; Grove, 23; Harrison, 7; High, 61; Lafayette, 13; Prescott, 48; Swett, 14; Tompkins, 78.

The Lincoln School had no tardy pupils during the month.

TROUBLE IN DENMARK.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

COPENHAGEN, May 11.—The Premier and the Minister of Foreign Affairs Baron Reedtz Thott, tendered their resignation as members of the Cabinet this morning. The king summoned Ex-Premier Estrup to form a new Cabinet.

GOLD FOR EUROPE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BOSTON, May 11.—Kidder, Peabody & Company will ship $700,000 in gold from New York by the steamer Columbia Thursday.

Don't blame

your grocer if he offers you colored tea or watery extracts or floury spices, because

(1) he doesn't know that you really want the other kind;

(2) he can't always tell pure food from adulterated;

(3) he makes more money on cheap things.

Don't blame him.

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tea, coffee, soda, baking powder, flavoring extracts, spices

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GOES TO PIECES.

The 'Frisco Firm, Williams, Brown & Co., Badly Involved.

LIABILITIES ABOUT $600,000.

Unsafe Business Carried on for Some Time Past.

BIG LOSSES IN AUSTRALIA.

A Number of Mining Moves in the Vicinity of Redding.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—The firm of Williams, Brown & Company is in financial difficulties. It is one of the oldest established wholesale shipping and commission houses in California.

A meeting of creditors has been summoned.

The failure is not entirely a surprise to business men, as the firm has been reported to have been shipping wheat at inopportune times and buying on a falling market. The house had a branch in Australia which, it is said, has been a losing proposition, and it is also announced that the cashier of the Australian branch is short in his accounts $150,000. The total amount of the liabilities of Williams, Brown & Co. is stated to be $600,000.

The big failure of Williams, Brown & Co., coming so soon after the embarassment of George Morrow & Co., the grain and hay dealers, has set the members of the Produce Exchange in a flutter and has caused a sensation on the floor of the Exchange.

Williams, Brown & Co. has occupied a front rank for a generation in the commission business and its affairs were conducted on such a large and seemingly prosperous scale that the rumors of financial embarassment were received with surprise and incredulity.

Pending the meeting of the creditors, which has been called, the firm absolutely refuses to make any statement or to indicate the cause of the failure or to make a statement of its resources and liabilities.

A member of the involved firm late this afternoon said that the trouble was due to the stringency in the money market and inability to realize immediately on a large amount of wheat held at foreign ports in the firm's name.

The Company has been a heavy purchaser of California grain and arranged during the early part of the year to ship a large quantity of wheat to Australia.

Since December 1st the concern has loaded seven vessels for the Antipodes, the joint cargoes of which are valued at $500,000.

OAKLANDERS INVEST.

Interesting Notes as Regards Various Mining Deals.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

REDDING, May 11.—Oakland capitalists will soon erect a mill on the Crown Point property at Mule mountain, ten miles west of Redding.

It is stated that Captain Roberts of Sacramento has already expended $200,000 in the mines at Harrison Gulch.

John Frank of Red Bluff has disposed of his one-eighth interest to Roberts for $21,750 and now Roberts, McIntosh and Roper of Chico own all the mines of the camp in partnership.

ELECTRICAL MINING.

A New Improvement Is to Be Made Near Old Diggings.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

REDDING, Cal., May 11.—Poles are on the ground and an electric line will soon be erected connecting the Garlick power plant at Copely with the National mine and mill at Old Diggings, a distance of three and a half miles. This will make the third mining plant in the district to be run by electric power from Copely which is on the line of railroad ten miles from Redding.

HERMANN SONS.

The By-Laws Revised and Some New Members Are Enrolled.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WOODLAND, May 11.—The Grand Lodge of Hermann Sons convened at 9 o'clock A. M. The revision of the by-laws occupied all the morning hour. T. Kuhn, D. Williams, W. Kuhn, T. Muegge and Otto Salomon, all members of Concordia lodge, were initiated into the Grand Lodge as ex-presidents and members for life.

THE CONDUCTORS COME.

Several Thousand Strangers Throng Los Angeles Streets.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LOS ANGELES, May 11.—The twenty-sixth session of the convention of the Grand Division of the Order of Railway Conductors opens here at 1 P. M. today. The session will be executive. Grand Chief Conductor E. E. Clark will preside. There will be a public reception tonight at Hazard's Pavilion, when the Mayor and other prominent citizens will extend a formal welcome to the city. About 3,000 people have arrived in attendance on the convention. It is expected that 1,000 more will come.

DAVIS CHOSEN.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—E. W. Davis, a brother of W. R. Davis of this city, a resident of Santa Rosa was this afternoon elected secretary of the Board of Regents of the University of California.

His appointment will give general satisfaction.

SUICIDED AT LAST.

An Ex-Recorder of Los Angeles Brings His Life to an End.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LOS ANGELES, May 11.—Ex-County Recorder J. A. Kelley committed suicide in his rooms about 12 o'clock last night by blowing out his brains.

He had previously taken a dose of laudanum. Despondency brought on by a combination of domestic and business troubles was the cause. He had been a resident of this city for many years and was prominent in political and business circles.

DAY QUALIFIES.

The Assistant Secretary of State Assumes His Position.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Judge Day of Ohio today qualified as Assistant Secretary of State. Rockhill, whom he succeeds, will remain until the Assistant Secretary becomes entirely familiar with the pending negotiations. Then it is expected that he will be appointed to some foreign mission.

BROATCH KNOCKED OUT.

His Blue Coated Henchman Powerless Against the Courts.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

OMAHA, May 11.—The District Court has dissolved the restraining order issued on the application of ex-Mayor Broach and issued a peremptory writ of mandamus directing him to turn over the office to Mayor Moores.

A REVOLT ENDED.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

TEGUCIGALPA, May 11—(Honduras, via Galveston, Texas)—The revolution is ended and the country peaceful.

ALL NEARED THE SHADOW.

Three Citizens Who Are Slowly Regaining Their Health.

The three well known citizens, who are now sick and whose welfare is so closely connected with Oakland interests are slowly recovering.

Hiram Tubbs, the East Oakland capitalist is about the same as he has been for some days past. The fact that he has not grown worse is taken as an encouraging indication that his ultimate recovery is merely a question of time.

County Assessor Henry Dalton is slowly recovering from the dangerous relapse he had last week.

J. W. Phillips, the East Oakland capitalist is now out of danger. His recovery will probably be a slow one.

DROPS OF BLOOD.

The Imaginary View Which Turned a Barber's Mind.

Antone Thomas, who was arrested at Seventh and Center streets last night by Officer Curtiss, was brought to the Receiving Hospital today and charged with insanity. He was placed in the big front room and the Supervisors appointed W. J. Keating to look after the patient.

Thomas is a barber and lives in San Francisco. Of late he has been stopping with his brother who conducts a shop at Center street. He seems perfectly rational at times, but occassionally imagines he sees blood on the necks of his customers. This sets the man into a crazy streak.

RELIANCE BOXING.

Two Eight-Round Contests Are Arranged for Tomorrow Evening.

Tomorrow night the Reliance Athletic Club will give one of its favorite men's night programmes, for which a large attendance is already assured. The contests will take place between Jack Davis of Omaha and Sailor Brown of Boston, as also Frank Raphael of San Francisco and Chas. Carson of the same place.

Both features will be found to be in keeping with the high standard of the sports which have heretofore been given by this club.

THE JOINT COMMITTEE.

A Report to Be Made Tonight as Regards the Tunnel.

There will be a meeting of the joint committee from the Merchants' Exchange, Board of Trade at Alameda tonight at the City Hall. The meeting will be informal and the members will formulate the report that they will make touching the question of a tunnel under the estuary or some other means of connecting this city with the Encinal.

MAY COME TOMORROW

The Change in the Fire Department at Hand.

INDICATIONS ARE IN SIGHT.

Clement May Introduce the Resolution for the Vacancy.

MURDOCK IN DANGER TOO

Speculation as to Who Will Be Selected for Chief.

It is understood that as a result of the dissatisfaction over the way in which the fire was handled yesterday a change may be made tomorrow in the head of the department at the meeting of the Commissioners.

Just what the outcome will be no one seems to know, but it is evident by the hints dropped by the Commissioners that the long-looked for episode may occur.

Possibly Clement will try his plan by introducing a resolution declaring the office of Fire Chief vacant. This would mean the removal of Fair and it is believed would be accomplished by the votes of Thomas and Clement.

Then will come the tussle for the appointment of a new chief and the question of who will get it is an interesting one. Fred Campbell's friends think that he has the best chances for the position but the other candidates all think they have a fighting stand.

If the plan goes through for the removal of Fair it is said that Clement will introduce a resolution also declaring vacant the office of assistant fire chief. This means the retirement of Murdock, but he has some powerful friends and it is said that he will stay even if Fair goes.

It is not expected that the street department matter will be brought up tomorrow nor in fact within the immediate future.

MR. ADAMS' GRATITUDE.

Thanks Extended to Those Who Aided in Saving His Property.

Oakland, May 11.—To the Editor of the Evening Tribune: Dear Sir.—Being unable to meet my many friends personally, I desire through you columns, to express my gratitude to those who so cheerfully and intelligently rendered me such valuable assistance during the burning of my home on yesterday afternoon. For through their careful and energetic work, practically all of the most valuable effects were saved in very good condition.

EDSON F. ADAMS.

MUST PAY UP.

City Attorney Dow's Note to Bondsmen of Lambert.

City Attorney Dow today sent out formal notices to O. C. Kirk and Henry Evers, bondsmen of Walter Lambert, the defaulting Police Court Clerk, to pay the amount due the city. If the gentlemen do not immediately respond Mr. Dow says he will bring suit for the amount involved.

Mrs. Oppenheim Dead.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HUDSON, N. Y., May 11.—Mrs. David Oppenheim of Vancouver, B. C., who jumped from the Atlantic express near this city on Monday, while deranged, died today. The remains will be taken to Vancouver by her husband, a former Mayor of that city.

A Still Alarm

A still alarm was sounded this morning for a small fire in a barn belonging to Captain W. D. Thomas at East Fourteenth street and Twenty-eighth avenue. The flames were extinguished before any damage was done.

Made Man and Wife.

The Supervisors rooms were used to celebrate a wedding this afternoon, when W. H. Van de Mark married August Boiz and Annie Welling, both of this city.

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WOOL AND CUBA.

Both Subjects Are Discussed in the Senate at Washington.

A CASE OF CHINESE TRICKERY.

Protecting American Interests in the Alaska Gold Region.

TOURGEE IS TO GO ABROAD.

President McKinley Favors Yu Shu Yi, the Chinese Consul.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Mantle of Montana introduced two amendments to the wool schedule of the tariff bill. He explained that one represented the views of the National Wool Growers' Association while the other had been agreed to by a number of Senators on the Republican side.

The amendments were referred to the Finance Committee.

Gear of Iowa, chairman of the Pacific Railroad Committee said he would not press his motion to proceed with the Pacific Railroad bill today, but would urge it Thursday.

The Morgan Cuban resolution was taken up as soon as the routine business was out of the way.

Morrill of Vermont spoke in opposition. The Senator said that the purpose of all Cuban resolutions, including that of Morgan, was to wrest from the executive the right he alone hitherto had exercised o frecognition the belligerent rights or the independence of nations.

Morrill declared that Congress had no such power and its exercise would be contrary to all precedents. The belligerent rights of revolters should not have recognition based merely on sympathy. It must be based on justice and law.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Senator Forwar speaking on the Cuban resolution favoring its reference to the committee on Foreign Relations said that he knew the Administration had its policy on this question.

Allison asked what the policy of the Administration was.

Forwar replied that it was to ascertain, beyond peradventure the exact situation of Cuba. It sent an authorized and accredited agent there to investigate the conditions and to report.

TOURGEE GOES ABROAD.

Some of the Nominations Made by the President Today.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The President sent the following nominations to the Senate:

To be Consuls:

Albion W. Tourgee of New York, at Bourdeaux, France.

Sidney B. Everett of Massachusetts, at Batavia, Java.

Interior Department.—Henry P. Cheatham, North Carolina, to be Recorder of Deeds, for the District of Columbia.

Ephraim H. Snook to be receiver of public moneys, Buffalo, Wyoming.

NOT SHARP ENOUGH.

Chinese Not Needed Will Be Returned to Their Homes.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The Secretary of the Treasury is informed of the arrival of 272 Chinamen in San Francisco to take part in the Nashville Exposition.

Only twenty-one are needed to comply with terms of the contracts entered into by the Exposition Company. The remainder will be returned to China.

AMERICAN INTERESTS.

McKinley Has Taken Steps to Protect Them in Alaska.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The Cabinet today decided to send one of the new gunboats now building on the Pacific Coast to Sitka, Alaska, about July 1st. The great activity in Alaska growing out of gold discoveries has made the President and the Cabinet deem that this step is advisable for the safe guarding of American interests.

RESERVATION ISLANDS.

The House Refuses to Vote Against the Forestry Order.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The House continued the legislative day of yesterday today, and took up the subject of forest reservations again.

Underwood (Democrat) of Alabama spoke briefly and was followed by Ellis (Republican) of Oregon. Both advocated the restoration to the people of the reservations established by President Cleveland.

The House, by a vote of 100 to 39, refused to concur in the Senate amendment to revoke President Cleveland's order as to forest reservations.

LEVIN
THE
Cash Grocer
Has opened at the same place, S. W. Cor. Tenth and Washington sts., with a full stock of Family Groceries. Will be sold cheap for cash.
ALL NEW GOODS

Coast Made Boats.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The Navy Department has sent instructions to San Francisco for a trial of the gunboats Marietta and Wheeling built by the Union Iron Works. The date is left open so as to permit weather conditions to be regarded. Captain Sumner will be the president of the trial board.

Yu Shu Yi All Right

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The president has recognized the following consular officers: Yu Shi Yi, acting Consul of China, San Francisco; Yu Shi Yi, acting Consul-General, San Francisco.

It is not known whether these appointments have any connection with the recent Chinese troubles in San Francisco.

THE WAR IN GREECE

(Continued from page 1.)

lull, but nobody minded anything. The Turks were in great numbers and fought according to the precepts of their religion. But the Greeks were never daunted and whipped them well. Sometimes it was fighting among gaunt hills, sometimes fighting on green plains but always the Greeks held their position. When night came shells burst in fury, lighting the darkness. By the red flashes I saw the wounded taken to Volo. There was very little outcry among them. They were mostly silent.

In the gray early morning the musketry fire began again.

It rattled from hill to hill; batteries awoke and the whole play was resumed. The Turkish guns were superior to those of the Greeks, who had mostly mountain howitzers.

I watched for a long time the blue clad Greek infantry marching in position across a small plain. While I watched, the Turks changed their attack from the Greek right on the plain to the Greek left on the rocky hill. Then, the fighting became obscured from view. The Greeks lay in trenches, snugly flattened against the dirt, firing carefully, while the Turks loomed close before them. Every ridge was fringed with smoke. I saw soldiers in the trenches ease off and take a drink from their canteens, twist their cartridge belts to put the empty links behind them, or turn around to say something to a comrade. They then went at it again. I noticed one lieutenant standing up in the rear of a trench rolling a cigarette, his lips wide apart. In this careless attitude a shot went through his neck. His servant came from the trench and knelt weeping over the body, regardless of the battle. The men had to drag him in by the legs.

The reserves coming up, passed a wayside shrine. The men paused to cross themselves and pray. A shell struck the shrine and demolished it. The men in the rear of the column were obliged to pray to the spot where the shrine had been.

News came from the left that the Turks had tried to turn the flank and failed. The Turks formed on the right and moved slowly across the plain and the battery opened on them. I saw troops moving to the rear to prevent a possible flank attack in the direction of Veto. The fight on the plain to the right began. Masses of Turkish troops like shadows slowly moved toward the Greek trenches, indicated by gray lines of smoke. Shots began to rake the trenches on the hill and to also rake the battery to the rear. I hoped the Greeks on the plain would hurry and drive the Turks from their position. They did it gallantly in a short, ferocious infantry fight. The bit of woods seemed where the fight occurred seemed on fire. There was a great rattling and banging and then the Turks went out defeated. There was general rejoicing all along the Greek lines, the officers walked proudly, the men in the trenches grinned. Then, mind you, just at this time, late in the afternoon, after another successful day, came the order to retreat.

Smolenski had apparently received the brunt of the fighting. Yet the centre and left near Karadjah, and at Pharsala had again retired. No one could explain it. We were not aware of the situation they faced, but it seemed an extraordinary order. They say Smolenski wept. I went down to see the retreat. A curious thing was that the Turks seemed to understand the order as quickly as we did. They moved up batteries with startling rapidity for the Turks. The retreat was not disorderly, but wrathful and sullen. A regiment of Ephzones, the kilted men, 2,000 strong, came down to cover the retreat and in the twilight, brightened by Turkish shells, the Greeks slowly withdrew.

THE ADAMS SUIT.

City Attorney Dow will shortly file an answer to the suit of Edson Adams et al. vs. the City of Oakland, in pursuance of the instructions of the City Council. The suit is brought by the executors of the will of the late Hannah Adams, and is for the recovery of $1,521, paid under protest to the city as taxes. Mr. Adams claims that the city should have taken the figures after the equalization of the County Board, the city having taken Assessor Dalton's figures before the equalization. If petitioner wins his suit, the decision will nullify the City Board of Equalization.

Lectures to Students.

Mr. Hammond of the San Francisco Weather Bureau lectured at the Central School this afternoon. Dr. McLean will speak on "Scotland" tomorrow at 11 A. M. to the classes studying "The Lady of the Lake."

The Stock Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 11.—Considerable strength was manifested at the opening of the Stock Exchange, gains being most pronounced in railway shares, particularly internationals, in response to better prices in London.

Arrived.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 11.—Arrived, the Allen, from Bremen; the Friesland, from Antwerp.

Liverpool—Pennland from Philadelphia, Assyrian from Philadelphi

REMEMBERED IN DEATH.

Many Tributes of Worth to Seymour Chapin Davidson.

A Touching Memento of a Setter's Love for the Deceased.

A funeral impressive through its simplicity occurred this afternoon when the remains of the late Seymour Chapin Davidson were laid to rest. Seldom has more genuine sorrow been shown over the demise of anyone. Mr Davidson was a young man full of life and health when the dread disease, consumption, marked him for a victim. After a lingering illness, he died last Saturady at his hotel, in San Francisco. His cousin, Chauncey M. St. John of San Francisco remained by him until the last.

There was a marked simplicity in his arrangements for the funeral. Many of the warm personal friends of Mr. Davidson gathered around his bier today and the mourning was very sincere. The deceased looked natural and life-like and there were few traces of the disease noticeable in his countenance.

The handsome velvet casket was covered with a heavy pall of sweet peas, white lavender and palest pink mingling. This was the last gift of the employes of the Firemen's Fund Insurance Company of which Mr. Davidson was once secretary. Loose clusters of perfumed roses hid the silver bandles of the coffin.

At the foot of the coffin was an exquisite floral pillow and the story attached to this offering is a touching one. During Mr. Davidson's long illness, his pet dog, Nino, an Irish setter, never left his side. When his master had breathed his last, the dog's grief was unbounded. His pitiful moanings were touching in their mournful pathos.

At today's funeral, some one had not forgotten that the dog's grief was as sincere and heartfelt as the human companions of the dead man and the pillow had been sent with Nino's name attached. The pillow was of delicate white sweet peas with "Master" outlined in palest lavender sweet peas. A delicate lace of maiden-hair fern outlined the pillow. Other floral offerings were many and exquisitely beautiful.

The deceased was well known in Oakland. He was a grand son of Edward Davidson, the Consul-General of the Central American countries in New York City. He is a nephew of the Rev. Chapin D. D. of New York and of Mrs. Biddle, wife of Commodore Biddle, U. S. N. While on this coast, Chauncey M. St. John was Mr. Davidson's constant companion and the former did much to relieve him of the monotony and weariness attendant on his long illness.

The remains will be taken to Mountain View Cemetery and placed in the vault beside those of the mother of the deceased. Mr. St. John will purchase a plot and have the remains of mother and son interred side by side.

The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. John Mynard D. D. of St. John's Episcopal Church and were in Brown's undertaking parlors where the casket stood in the midst of flowers.

The following were the pallbearers: William Rennie, E. S. Bell of St. Helena; John S. Mumaugh, T. M. Gardiner, George H. Mendell Jr., and R. D. Hunter of the Firemen's Fund Insurance.

COURT NEWS

John G. Mattos Jr. has filed his bond as a Notary Public with Frances A. Jarvis and A. D. Raposa, A. F. Nunes and Charles J. Bond as sureties.

The final account of Mary R. Barstow, executrix of the estate of Alfred Barstow, has been filed. It shows that the total amount of cash on hand is $3,611.09 and that the executrix has a claim for credits to the amount of $6,420.11.

Frank Dalton, assignee of the estate of A. T. Hatch, an insolvent, has filed an answer to the suit brought by the Central Bank to secure payment of a note for $20,000, secured by mortgages on the land of the estate. The answer makes a general denial of the charges in the complaint on account of a lack of information.

J. F. Wiggington, Wirt Wiggington and J. M. Shannon, have been appointed appraisers of the estate of the minor Creed children.

Alice B. Collier has been appointed administratrix of the estate of John Henry Collier.

The distribution of the estate of Louise E. Overacker has been ordered. Anna L. Robertson gets $150, Howard Overacker Jr. receives $500, Louise Dahl $100. The remainder of the estate is distributed share and share alike to Elizabeth S. and Louise Overacker to be held in trust by their guardian, Howard Overacker Jr. The estate consists principally of notes amounting to $6,400 and $768.90 in cash.

Judge Hall has granted a decree of divorce to Jennie A. Meyers from Geo. A. Meyers. The complaint charged habitual intemperance. The wife was given the custody of the minor child, allowed $20 a month alimony and $60 attorney's fees.

Judge Ogden left the bench this morning to attend the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows in San Francisco. He will not be in his department this week.

Judge W. E. Greene met with a little accident yesterday which resulted in a painful injury to his right hand. He appeared in court this morning with the member swathed in bandages.

The default of the defendant has been entered in the divorce suit of Minnie Bayley against Albert Bayley.

In the suit of Diggle et al. against the Bernal Brothers, the defendants were granted leave to file an amended answer.

The divorce suit of George W. Dean from Edna M. Dean has been referred to the Court Commissioner.

Minnie Eckart has sued Andreas Eckart for a divorce on the grounds of desertion.

Chicago Produce.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, May 11.—Wheat, May, 74¾; July, 73½. Corn, May, 24; July, 25⅝@½. Oats, May, 8; July, 18¼. Pork, May, $8.60; July, $8.62. Lard, May $3.95; July, $4.00. Ribs, May, $4.87; July, $4.65@$4.67. Barley, 25@33. Rye, 34¼. Flax, 77½. Timothy, $2.90.

Chicago Sheep.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, May 11.—The sheep market was firm, native sheep, $2.50@$4.65; westerns, $3.50@$4.75; lambs, $3.25@$5.35.

San Francisco Grain

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—Wheat steady, May $1.26⅝; December, $1.27.

The Redwood Carpenter Shop makes house, barns and garden stakes—410 Ninth street.

CASTORIA.
The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

DEATH BRINGS HARMONY.

Herbert Davis' Parents Will Now Quarrel No More.

They Have Decided That There Is Nothing in Family Skeletons.

The suicide of Herbert Davis, the young East Oakland lad, has probably resulted in peace being restored in the Davis household for a time at least. Not that the son was a mischief maker, for he was an extraordinarily quiet lad, but the troubles of his parents grieved him greatly, and it is believed it was partially on this account that the lad ended his life.

William Davis, the harness man of San Francisco, is the husband and father. Some time ago his wife, Alice E. Davis, filed a complaint charging extreme cruelty and asking for a divorce. Many charges were made on both sides, and the family skeleton soon became public property.

The case was pending in court and was about to come to trial when Herbert shot himself. The father and mother attended the funeral, and their grief was mutual. The domestic jars were forgotten for the time being and may remain so now.

Today Attorney Harry Pulsifer, for the firm of Davis & Hill, representing the husband, appeared before Judge Greene and announced that, by consent, the divorce proceedings would be dropped from the docket. This order was made.

The husband and wife are well advanced in years, both being upward of 60. He resides in San Francisco, while she lives on the homestead in East Oakland, where the son tragically ended his life.

THE CORE BLOCK.

An Attempt to Move the Structure to Seventh and West.

A proposition was introduced in the Council by Mr. Cuvellier last evening, to condemn the old coffin-shaped building which has stood for years on the south side of Seventh street, between Market and West streets. The two latter streets join each other at Fifth street and at Seventh street they are only some twenty or thirty feet apart. The building has long been a source of danger on account of the passing trains.

In order to remove the building an assessment district will have to be made. The matter has been before previous councils, but nothing could ever be done with it.

THE BANK STANDS.

Unfounded Rumors as to the Spanish Bank in Havana.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HAVANA, May 11.—The Spanish Bank has not suspended. The report to that effect grew out of the suspension of the exchange of paper bills for silver. Crowds went to the bank yesterday to pay their taxes, believing that scrip would not be received in future, and also owing to the rumor that paper money would be listed, thus causing great losses.

The bank continues doing business as usual today.

A QUINCY FIRE.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

QUINCY, Ill., May 11.—The J. R. Dayton Tablet Company's plant, Valk, Jones & Mein's job printing offices and the Brumbaugh book store, all in the same building, were burned this morning. The total loss is $110,000.

LICENSED TO MARRY

Walter McBride Roberts, Decoto	29
Adelia D. Cullings, Decoto	18
Nathan Hollenbeck, Oakland	21
Annie Rivers, Oakland	18
Moses Morris, Berkeley	47
Mabel George Hutton, Alameda	23
Michael Dowling, Oakland	30
Margaret Kelly, Oakland	24
Henry M. Petman, Berkeley	27
Theodore F. Baldwin, Berkeley	21
August Bolz, Oakland	38
Annie Weiling, Oakland	19

Machinists Adjourn.

KANSAS CITY, May 11.—The convention of the International Association of Machinists adjourned today to meet two years hence in Buffalo, N. Y. No business was transacted at the closing session.

The resolution demanding the control of tenders of type setting machines had been prepared for introduction, but it was decided at the last moment not to bring the measure up.

A Musical Evening.

A musical and literary entertainment will be given at the First Presbyterian Church Friday evening, May 14th, for the benefit of the Telegraph Avenue Sunday School. The programme includes selections for the Guitar Quintette, the "King's Daughters' Quartette," the Symphonious Mandolin and Guitar Club, solos by Mr. O. Le Noir, Miss Mary I. Sullivan, W. J. Oakes, Mrs. Blake-Alverson, viele solo by Rev. J. Rea, and reading by Miss Mabel Hussey.

Judge Greene Aroused.

Attorney A. H. Cohen incurred the displeasure of Judge Greene yesterday afternoon when he refused to remodel his motion for a new trial in the Tillman and Bendel suit against Bain. The case was continued for a week and in doing so Judge Greene announced that Cohen might be committed for contempt of court if he did not comply with the demand.

Market Quotations.

Corrected daily by Hill & Egan, grain and commission brokers, 468 Ninth street, Oakland. Telephone 126 Main. May 11, 1897.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July Wheat	72¼-⅜	73¼	71⅝	72½
July Corn	24⅝-⅞	25⅝-½	24¾-⅞	25⅝-½
July Pork	8 52	8 62	8 52	8 62

Curb. July Wheat 73½, Puts 71⅝, Calls 73⅝.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET REPORT

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sugar	115½	116	115½	115¼
Tobacco	72½	72½	71½	72
C. B. & Q.	75¼	75⅝	74½	74½
Chicago Gas	82⅝	83⅝	82⅝	83⅝
E. G. Electric	31⅞	31⅞	31⅜	31⅜
Manhattan Con.	83	84¼	83	83⅝
Northwestern	105	105¼	104¾	104¾
Rock Island	64	64⅝	63⅝	63⅝
St. Paul	74¼	74⅝	74¼	74¼
Western Union	76¼	76⅞	75¼	76⅜
Jersey Central	79¼	79¼	77¾	77¾

Dying by Degrees.

Nicholas Wilkie, who was brought to the Receiving Hospital recently to be sent to the County Infirmary, is dying of Brights disease. He has been too weak to go to the Infirmary and so has been detained at the hospital. He may not live through the night.

SEEKING A SECRETARY.

The University Regents Now Discuss Dr. Bonte's Successor.

An Executive Session is Held While Men Are Considered.

Special to the Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—The Board of Regents of the University of California are in session this afternoon, and it is believed that before an adjournment is reached, a secretary to succeed the late Dr. Bonte will be chosen.

There are several candidates for the position.

Shortly after the meeting was opened the Board went into executive session and at this writing are discussing the secretaryship.

LAID AWAY WITH HONORS

Imposing Funeral of the Late William R. Carr.

Distinguished People Gather Around the Bier.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—The funeral of the late William B. Carr, occurred this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, 2234 Broadway.

It was attended by a large number of friends. The flowers were many and beautiful.

The remains were interred in the Masonic Cemetery.

The interment was private and was attended by only the immediate family. The Rev. E. B. Church, the assistant rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, was the officiating clergyman.

The pall-bearers were Edward J. Pringle, Thomas B. Bishop, M. M. Estee, Chas. A. Shurtleff, Irving M. Scott, Frank G. Drum, W. W. Foote and Smith Brown.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

SATURDAY, MAY 8, 1897.

J J Stackler by G A Koch constable of Okd Tp to C Hirsch, W Center st 126 S W 8 th st S 25-10 W 106-9 N 25-10 E 106-7 to beg being lot 12 blk 530, $242.

Alice E Hart to Mary A Neary wf N E gardian of est Mary A and Charlotte Godfrey (minors), und ½ int of following—SW Railroad av and Wood st W 30-3 x S 90-7¼ being lot 5 blk 32, Lds Okd Pt Ferry Landing; same to same, S Railroad av or 7th st 100 W Wood st W 80-7½ x S 100-7¼ being lots 9, 10, 11 and W 5-7½ of lot 8 blk 32, Lds Okd Pt Ferry Landing, $10.

Katherine V Klinkner extx est Chas A Klinkner to Frank Davey, N Butler av 175 E Idaho st E 50 x N 135, $2,000.

Frank & Wilhelmina Davey to Clarence A Chichester, same, $2,150.

Alexr & Mary E P Johnson to Helena Morgenstern, S Buena Vista av 350 E Oak st E 37 S 50 E 13 S 95 W 50 N 145 to beg blk 46, Minturn tract, $10.

Laura Lawrence to L D West, SE Dana and Haste sts S 46-8 x E 150 being ptn lot 1 blk 6, College Hd, $100.

L D & Sarah West to Laura Lawrence, E Dana st 46-8 S Haste st S 46-8 x E 150 being ptn, same, $100.

Myron L Wurts to Rebecca Wurts, the S 30 ft lot 28 blk 12, Amended Map Central Park, Alcatraz and Newbury Stations, gift.

Agnes Thlenger and as adtx est Anton Thlenger to Philip Fickinger, NW Bristol and 7th sts N 100 x W 100 being lots 10 and 11 blk 76, tract B, Bkly L and T I Assn, $2,693.

The McCarthy Co to Mary Condon, lots 5 and 6 sub G, Fruitvale Terminal tract, $10.

Emil Liess to Mary Tschich, lot 11 blk D, Buenaventura tract, $10.

Sherman V — A T Stevens to Moses Greenebaum, SE Orral st 161.06 NW Yoakum av th along NE Orral st 80, th NE 120 SE 80 SW 120 to beg being lots 5 and 6 blk C, Fanny Davenport tract, being a sub of lot 6 Yoakum tract, $10.

Abigail A Mitchell to Lucinda Adams, E Webster st 631 N 14th st N 25 x E 150 being ptn lot 17 Lander & Casserly tract, subj to a mtge, $10.

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BORN.

CARLTON—In this city, May 8, 1897, to the wife of Dr. Harry P. Carlton, a daughter.

DIED.

SHANNON—In this city, May 10, 1897, Mary Shannon, a native of Oakland, aged 3 years, 11 months and 6 days.

SPEDDY—In Alameda, Olive Lurline Speddy, a native of New York, aged 39 years, 9 months and 14 days.

GADING—In Mount Eden, May 9, 1897, Justus Gading, a native of Germany, aged 62 years, 4 months and 9 days.

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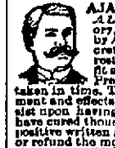
For several days a well dressed man, about forty years of age, has been hanging around the Prescott School and the parochial school of St. Patrick's parish intently watching the children as they passed in and out of the buildings. His actions created suspicion among the neighbors and frightened the children, who thought he was trying to kidnap some of them.

Last night about 8 o'clock the neighborhood became so alarmed that Officer Murray was requested to lock the man up. When arrested the suspect told the officer that he had been looking for kidnapped children for twenty-five years. He gave his name as Andrew Thomas and his nativity as the Western Isles.

He was kept in the City Prison over night and this morning taken to the Receiving Hospital.

MADE ME A MAN

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FRICK & GOODCELL, Attorneys-at-Law, Blake & Moffitt building, rooms 42-43.

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RARE CHANCE—Furniture of an eight room house for sale, suitable for roomers, rooms now rented, the rent from roomers will pay the rent of house, leaving three or four rooms for family, cheap. 1091 Webster st.

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$175—Good lot 40x100 between Grove and West sts.

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LOST—Between Piedmont and New Broadway and Twenty-fourth sts., package containing twelve yards of lawn, baby's short dress and skirt, also white embroideries. Return to Taft & Pennoyer's and receive reward.

LOST—A gold chain bangle Friday evening, either on Thirteenth st. or Franklin st. Return to 870 Adeline st, and receive reward.

FOUND—On East Twelfth st., between Twelfth and Thirteenth aves., a small bay horse and open top buggy. Owner can get the same by proving property and paying expenses. Contable J. W. Glaze, 617 East Twelfth st., East Oakland

LOST—White fox terrier, black and tan face and ears; name Dandy; liberal reward and no questions asked. Return to 875 Filbert st, cor. Eighth.

FOUND—Cow; owner may have same by proving property and paying expenses. Call at 617 Magnolia st.

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$7,000—Fine bargain, two story residence of nine rooms, on Webster street bet. Fourteenth and Durant; lot 74x150; land alone worth the price. Owner now in New York City. Has instructed us to make an offer. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

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$2,000—Alameda, good lot 60x140, clear, fine location, to exchange for house in Oakland, will assume mortgage. William J Dingee, 460-462 Eighth st, Oakland.

$3,000—East Oakland; new residence well located, 8 rooms and bath, modern improvements, plate glass windows, etc Will exchange one-half for nice lot in Fruitvale and take mortgage for difference at low rate of interest. William J. Dingee, 460-462 Eighth st, Oakland.

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$2,500—Best bargain ever offered; modern cottage, 5 rooms and bath; only three blocks from Washington st., right in heart of town; must be sold at once; easy terms to responsible party; this property is well worth $3,500

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$3,000—Seven room cottage and barn, East Oakland.
$2,000—Two story house, five rooms, E. 17th st.
$2,500—Five room modern cottage, near business corner.
$3,500—Five room cottage and stable, large lot, 11th ave.
$6,500—Ten room modern house, adjoining business property.
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$1,600—Clear ranch, 160 acres, Missouri.
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$3,500—108 acres, Ben Lomond; clear.
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$3,500—Fifty acres, orange land, Salermo
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$1,800—Nice modern cottage of 6 rooms, bath and high basement, on 10th st. near Center; lot 35x120. J. S. Colburn & Co., Real Estate, 1756 7th st.

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$3,000—Cottage of 7 rooms and laundry; high basement; all modern improvements; on Poplar st. near 14th st.; lot 40 x135. J. S. Colburn & Co., Real Estate, 1756 7th st.

$1,250—House of 5 rooms; lot 37x90, N. E. cor. of Wood st. J. S. Colburn & Co., 1756 7th st.

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H. P. Moreal & Co. will have some profitable announcements of Alameda bargains here in a few days.

FOR SALE.

Modern house, seven rooms and bath; lot 40x115; a bargain; price $2,000; cost $3,250 to build; terms to suit.

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$11,000—Nine acres choice improved land, 6 room house, barn, outbuildings, orchard, etc., in choice residence district, Claremont Berkeley Easy terms.

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Chief of Police Lloyd has asked all dealers in bicycles to send him their addresses and telephone numbers. This was done to aid him in detection of bicycle thieves, who have become quite numerous lately. When the dealers have all responded to his request, the Chief will order that they each be notified as soon as a bicycle theft is reported so that they can be on the lookout for the culprit.

A DESERVED COMPLIMENT.

We recommend to our Municipal Board that it sends its clerk, or some person equally qualified, to Oakland on a meeting night of the Council of that city and take notes of the system that has been adopted there for the dispatch of public business. The Council meets but once a fortnight, and get through with more business at one sitting than Alameda's Board does at four. Everything is well digested in committee beforehand, and there is an orderly and progressive sequence that admits of a vast deal of work being done. With such a system in force in Alameda there would not need to be a meeting of the Board oftener than once a month—certainly not oftener than once a fortnight. Another thing is that the Oakland Councilmen do not proceed on the hypothesis that for one member to disagree with another and vote against his motion or proposition is discourteous. Unanimous ballots are rather the exception than the rule. The members disagree, argue against each other, vote contrary, get through with one matter, drop it, and pass on to the next without wasting sentiment, temper or time. The public is better served if there is a little amiable friction, a little hesitancy and questioning, instead of a dead level of complaisant acquiescence.—Alameda Argus.

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TO ASSUME COMMAND

General Brooke May Be Placed at the Head of the Army.

HIS VISIT TO WASHINGTON.

Effect of the Absence of Generals Miles and Merritt.

GEN. WHEATON'S SUCCESSOR.

A Situation Unusual in the Army Since Its Organization.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, May 11.—Brigadier-General John R Brooke, commanding the Department of the Missouri, is absent from his post He is in Washington by order of the Secretary of War and it is said is to assume the command of the army.

No such distinction has ever been bestowed upon an officer of his rank since the days just after the Revolutionary war, when, for a year, a lieutenant was in command of the remnant of the Continental army.

General Miles, the senior Major-General, is off for Europe to get a sight of war abroad, and General Merritt has been granted a leave of absence to cross the seas. This leaves the army without a Major-General, as Major-General Wheaton was retired last Saturday under the longevity rule. General Brooke not being ranked as a Major-General, is ordered to Washington as a Brigadier-General, presumably to take command of the army.

General Brooke is the senior Brigadier-General of the army, and his selection for the command of the army in the absence of Generals Miles and Merritt abroad would indicate that he will be the next Major-General, the successor of General Frank Wheaton.

NOT FOR PUBLICATION.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—General Brooke, commander of the Department of the Missouri, is in Washington. He is stopping at the home of Senator Quay. When seen in regard to the report that General Brooke is to assume command of the army during the absence of Major-General Miles in Europe, General Ruggles, the Adjutant-General of the army, said that no such order had been issued by the War Department. When asked, however, if such an order was in contemplation, he said it was a matter which he preferred not to discuss for publication. The army at present is without a commander. General Miles is on the ocean and does not expect to return to this country for several months. Secretary Alger is nominally in command, though orders are being issued by the Adjutant-General. When General Miles received permission to go abroad it was believed that the army would get along during his absence without a commander, though the Secretary of War expected to transfer General Merritt to Washington in case the services of a commanding officer were needed.

About the time General Miles decided to go abroad General Merritt, the commander of the Department of the East, asked for leave of absence and permission to go beyond the sea. This was granted.

It is believed by army officers that General Brooke has come here on a matter of much greater importance to himself than the temporary command of the army. General Wheaton retired Saturday and the President now has under consideration the appointment of a Major-General. Brooke is justly entitled to this honor. He was the senior officer a month ago when General Ruger retired, and was then entitled to promotion. Brigadier-General Wheaton was to retire so soon, however, that it was decided to promote him so that he might retire with the highest rank. It was tacitly understood then that General Brooke should have his promotion when General Wheaton retired. General Forsythe, however, who commands the Department of California, and General Bliss, who commands the Department of Texas, have now both applied for the vacant Major-Generalship on the ground that they will retire before General Brooke, and that they should be permitted to enjoy the honor of higher rank for the same reason that it was a month ago given to General Wheaton. While General Brooke's friends say that it was well enough to adopt this plan in the case of General Wheaton, who only had a month to serve, it would not be fair to apply it to General Forsythe or General Bliss.

PROMOTION BELIEVED.

CHICAGO, May 11.—In army circles in this city there has been no doubt of General Brooke's promotion.

It has been believed that he would follow in the precedent established a year ago when for a month General A. McD. McCook was given the preferment over General T. H. Ruger, to be succeeded by the latter. The promotion of Wheaton over Brooke about thirty days had all the features about it that characterized the advancement of McCook for a month over Ruger, entitled by rank to the promotion.

It is said in army circles that General Brooke's claim to promotion at this time is to be disputed by two of his juniors in years of service—Brigadier-General J. W. Forsythe, "Tony," formerly of General Phil Sheridan's staff, and Brigadier-General Bliss, only recently appointed from a Colonelcy.

They submit that if General McCook over-sloughed Ruger a year ago because he would retire in a month, and Wheaton the same this year, one of the other should be preferred over Brooke at this time, as he retires in 1902, while Bliss goes out in 1898 and Forsythe in 1899.

General Miles, who ranks them all, will not be retired until 1906.

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May 12th—Good Samaritans of Oakland.
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UNION LABEL

TUESDAY.....MAY 11, 1897.

Twenty thousand farmers in the United States are experimenting with sugar beets.

Redding has dished up a novelty in the gold brick line, this time the bricks being of real gold and the story being about how they were lost on the county road and returned by an honest prospector.

Don't complain about the heat here—it was 98 yesterday in the San Joaquin. When, on such occasions, the wind blows down there, it has been graphically likened to the breath of hell.

Stephen Crane says the crash of battle was the most beautiful sound he had ever heard. Wait until he hears the clink of the twenty-dollar pieces he is to receive for his report, he will enjoy that even better.

We are now told that "the Greek troops fought with the steadiness of salaried book-keepers, never tired, never complaining." Who says these high-priced author-correspondents are not earning their money?

Dingley denies that he made the statement attributed to him in the Democratic newspapers yesterday to the effect that the real purpose of the tariff bill is to create a surplus and impound the greenbacks.

The dog show will open tomorrow and the interest shown in it is an advertisement for Oakland all over the State. We want these shows annually but they can only be sustained by patronage, which suggestion should be enough.

Political jealousy cannot dethrone Prince Bismarck from his throne in the hearts of his countrymen. The jubilation expressed at Friedrichsruhe last night over his recovery from his recent illness spoke volumes for his popularity.

People who believe in a co-operative enterprise that can compete with the gigantic sugar trust must have a lot of confidence in themselves, yet a party of Santa Ana capitalists propose to erect a beet sugar factory on the co-operative plan.

Havemeyer, the sugar king, did not intend to give the lawyers a chance to divide up his estate by breaking his will. He therefore left no will at all and his property will now be divided by the established law of descent among his family.

Turkey does not intend to take any more chances about having Greek warships off Salonica. The cession of the entire Greek fleet is to be one of the conditions of peace. The Sultan might as well take King George's army too and thus make a good job of it.

Japan is going to demand indemnity from Hawaii for refusing landing to many of her subjects. Perhaps this trouble will prove a blessing in disguise for the islands, for out of the row that will ensue may come the long-hoped for annexation to the United States.

Fanaticism has reached a distressing height in Russia where seventeen hermits were at their own request walled up alive so that "they might receive the martyr's crown." This savors more of suicide than martyrdom and as the suicide is supposed to be awarded quarters in the lower regions they will miss their mark by a good deal.

Men like Edward Boyce president of the Western Federation of Miners are dangerous and should be summarily suppressed. At the convention yesterday he urged the formation of a rifle club in every union saying that two years from now they can have 25,000 armed men in the ranks of labor and thus terrorize the capital which he claimed is now overriding the workingman.

Jonah and the whale are still raising ructions despite the fact that their part in the world's drama was played thousands of years ago. They have now brought about the resignation of Rev. Dr. French from the Congregational Club in San Francisco that gentleman saying he cannot remain in the organization and thereby tacitly endorse Dr. Rader's version of the old Biblical story.

Editing a paper in Santa Cruz evidently requires some nerve. The new proprietor of the Penny Press says: "And they must let us be in peace if they would themselves remain in peace, for we have been driven long and hard—these fellow workmen and owners of this paper—and we can not long abide in quiet should these ghouls continue in their infamy. We are peaceful men and ask only the opportunity to make an honest living. And by the laws of man and with the protection of a just God we mean to have that opportunity."

THE UNEMPLOYED QUESTION.

The City Council did a commendable act last night in appropriating $499 to each of the seven wards of the city to be used in street work for the benefit of the unemployed. Two laudable objects will be reached by this action, one the betterment of the highways and the other the furnishing of needed relief to the worthy poor.

This is the proper way to handle the question of the unemployed. If each city would take care of its own unfortunates there would be no occasion for the formation of the "armies" which have become a serious danger during these past few years. Ever since Coxey devised his illy-projected plan of marching a host to Washington and there demanding a national appropriation for work, the country has been subjected to similar organizations started on a more or less larger scale. The utter failure of Coxey's scheme has not acted as a detriment and the prime reason for this is easily found—the majority of the men in these "armies" consist of professional loafers and vagabonds. Nothing could suit these Bendouins of civilization better than to have an alleged organization in existence, for under the protecting title of labor, they are able to roam about the country with comparative immunity from arrest and are furthermore fed, and in many cases furnished with transportation by citizens who are only too glad to keep them on the move and get them out of town. The last two Legislatures have endeavored to check this sort of thing by framing laws preventing the formation of bands of more than three people to search for work in such a manner but the proposed enactments have always fallen through in consequence of a fear on the part of the more timorous and politically ambitious members, of doing anything that might be considered, even remotely, as antagonistic to labor.

It can readily be seen therefore how dangerous it is to commence a movement that will attract to our city the horde of professional mendicants who only want an excuse for putting in an appearance. Once let it be known that Oakland intends furnishing work by the wholesale for the unemployed and the city will become the mecca for every vagrant of California, though, of course there will be considerable wheat among so much chaff. The plan devised by the Council is far better. Each ward will have its own appropriation, can repair its own streets and give the work to its own poor. The members of the Board of Public Works to whom are entrusted the expenditure of the money, should see to it that the labor is apportioned in this manner as far as possible, for only in such a way can the proper results be attained.

THE LESSON OF THE FIRE.

The heavy losses sustained by the fire yesterday afternoon need never have resulted had the disaster not been subjected to a series of blunders. In the first place there was a delay in turning in the alarm that is inexcusable. Several minutes elapsed before the department was notified and this too, in spite of the fact that nearly every house in that part of town has a telephone, and furthermore that fire alarm boxes were near at hand.

The arrival of the engines though did not set matters straight. There is considerable adverse criticism over the fact that instead of allowing the flaming barns to be destroyed either by being burned or torn down the firemen should have devoted their energies to trying to save them instead of turning all their attention to the preservation of the houses. There must, of course, be considered the unfortunate circumstance of the bursting of the hose which is liable to occur at any time, but even allowing for this no one will question the statement that the fire was poorly managed. A notable example of the lack of system is that one of the engines arrived on the scene without any coal and had to borrow some from an adjoining residence before it could go on with its work.

It is poor consolation to the insurance companies on whom the losses fall and to the tax payers of Oakland who support the department and who expect protection in return to have excuses made for this sort of thing. There should be no occasion for any excuse and none should be taken.

Los Angeles has heard that Oakland may ultimately consist of this city, Alameda, Berkeley and other territory and she is getting alarmed. The southern city recently conducted a private census and declares that she has now a population of 102,000. The Herald says: "If Oakland could annex all of Alameda and Contra Costa Counties, it might have a chance, for a time, in the race with Los Angeles. But even then, we should have Pasadena, Santa Monica and other adjacent villages to fall back upon. Oakland would do better to make up its mind to be a good third among the cities of the State."

There is no anxiety in this city on account of Los Angeles. The official census of 1890 gave Oakland 48,595 and Los Angeles 50,394 and no sane person will accept the results of the recent "census."

Riverside Populists are not unlike those of other cities. A member of that party on the Board of Supervisors down there is kicking because the new county government act has cut his allowance for mileage down to ten cents a mile and this causes the Los Angeles Times to remark that a Populist would not be true to his principles if he favored economy in the public service when it affected his own purse.

The Pomona watchman who confessed that he set fire to the Palomares Hotel at which he was employed, must have been very tired of his job.

Alameda grows slowly but surely. The census just taken shows a population of 16,561 a gain of 439 since last year.

Lavin Must Answer.

John P. Lavin, who was found guilty of stealing a set of harness from I. Nicholl of East Oakland, and who was caught with the harness by Officer McKeegan at the Oak street station, was held to answer before the Superior Court on a charge of burglary. Judge Allen fixed his bail at $1,000.

Ninety Days in Jail.

John Williams, who stole lumber from the lumber yards along the water front, has been sentenced to serve ninety days in the City Prison by Judge Allen.

AS OTHERS SEE US.

Benjamin Hill the Oakland wife-murderer has been baptised and received into the Methodist Church and there is evident in some newspapers a disposition to scoff at the proceeding. Why should there be? If this man who stands within the shadow of the gallows can find some small consolation in the ministrations of the church why should he not have it? We need not suppose that he can at one bound leap so far into eternity that he can escape the memory of his terrible deed, but if he thinks that he can—well, let him have such comfort as there may be in the thought. The law will have its dread way with this man, but if there may be some small grain of comfort in the situation for him, let him have it.—Fresno Republican.

The San Francisco papers consider it a matter of interest to a million or so of readers that Mrs. John Martin of Oakland should don a bicycle dress and paint her house. One of the papers gives a big picture of the woman in the act, and makes her look a striking figure indeed. Mrs. Martin was first known to fame through claiming a part of the fortune of her brother-in-law, swearing that she had had other relations to him than orthodox sister-in-lawship. Then she did things more or less outre in various parts of the country, one of which was to have a prominent actor arrested in New York so that he could not appear in a prominent theater on the first night of a famous play. These facts constitute the real interest in Mrs Martin, and lend importance to her bicycle dress and her paint brush. But the whole incident shows what straits the big city papers are put to to fill their columns. Every day there is a great deal of such matter—of no sort of healthy interest, but raked up, distorted and put in, often duly illustrated, simply to fill up. Fourteen-page papers in San Francisco, while ten-page papers do in New York, naturally necessitate a great deal of frothy filling.—Alameda Argus.

As bearing on the right of the Supervisors to construct a tunnel under the estuary by virtue of the authority given them by the general law to construct roads, highways, bridges and other adjuncts to highways, it is interesting to note that the Supervisors of Alameda County have at this very moment a similar project on hand. It is proposed to connect the fertile valleys of Contra Costa County which lie beyond the hills with Oakland by means of a wagon road tunnel through those hills. The Supervisors of Contra Costa and Alameda are both discussing the matter, evidently in the full impression that they have legal authority to tunnel, bridge or get around the hills in the best manner possible. The District Attorney of neither county has yet told them that they have no authority to do this.

Thus the natural question arises, if they can tunnel the hills for a road under the general law, why cannot they tunnel the estuary for a road under the same law?—Alameda Encinal.

GRAINS OF SALT.

If the United States could get in as one of the Powers she would vote to tie Mr. G. Weyler and Mr. A. Hamid together and drop them in a well, thus disposing of two of the most cultured barbarians of modern times in one short and successful campaign.

Every time the Minneapolis Times discovers a new joke on J. J. Hill, that eminent philanthropist takes another half turn on the cable and tightens up his cinch on the Northern Pacific.

Col. Watterson need not worry; it will be a long time before this country voluntarily restores the hard times party and the soup house policy of Grover Cleveland.

Culalongkong I, King of Siam, proposes to invade the United States with a long train of servants and a large invoice of yellow ribbon just as soon as he can get around to it. He is not a laundryman, as his name might indicate.

"Lord save us from the devil and the Turk," repeats the Greek after the prayer of four centuries ago, and then adds, "but if you can only take care of the Turk we will take our chances with the other one."

Demetrius Ralli doesn't seem to be doing as much for the Greek forces as might be expected of a man with that kind of a name.

In referring to the subject of international bimetallism, the St. Louis Convention used it as the subject of the sentence, "Which we pledge ourselves to promote." Now, don't expect too much all at once.

The Louisville Courier-Journal refers to the rush of office seekers on Senator Deboe as "the charge of the pie brigade." Language fails to provide anything adequately descriptive of the tribulations of the Minnesota Senators. An artist might do it, but an artist who could would find more profitable employment for his brush.

Let the rules be suspended in order that Granville S. Pease may be nominated for Governor on the Anoka ticket.

The Brooklyn Eagle says the election of a Republican Senator in Kentucky was due to Democratic division on the money question. Yes, addition, division and silence.

This is the year of Cabot celebrations. John Cabot having sailed May 3, 1497, from Bristol, England, in the ship Matthew on the voyage during which he discovered the continent of North America. Though he was a Genoese by birth, and a Venetian by adoption, his crew of eighteen men were all Englishmen but two, a Burgundian and an Italian barber. The Royal Geographical Society of England has celebrated the anniversary by listening to a paper on Cabot by Sir Clements Markham, its president. The Royal Society of Canada will, in June, place a Cabot tablet in the Legislative Hall at Halifax. The Newfoundland Cabot committee will erect an observatory at St. John's and improve the signal station there.

Ambassador Hay speaks five languages—including English, notwithstanding his poetry.—Chicago Times-Herald.

"You," said the horseradish, "you are not so warm!"

Conscious of brickdust and cocoa shells, the cayenne pepper blushed a fiery red.—Indianapolis Journal.

ALONG THE COAST.

According to the opinion of the United States Pomologist, the California pomelo is a prospective gold mine for enterprising orchardists who choose to cultivate this valuable fruit.

As was to be expected, the action of the Riverside County Supervisors in discontinuing the county's exhibit at the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, is condemned by the press of Riverside and many of the enterprising people of that city. The Supervisors will not gain anything by this penny-wise pound-foolish policy.

The Ventura papers are having fantods because their local officers were not "starred" in accounts of the arrest of McCamish for the murder of Constable Pyle. It appears that the evidence against McCamish was found in his room by Sheriff Charlebois, a fact that was not made known in the item about the arrest that was given to Los Angeles papers.

San Bernardino pedagogues have shown their utter unselfishness by consenting to the abrogation of contracts for four years' employment entered into by them with a former school board. The new Board of Education should do the handsome thing now by re-employing the present corps of teachers, unless the best of reasons for removal should appear.

The seven bad boys who gave the new management at the Whittier State School such a shock by going off on a nocturnal excursion, have been recaptured, but rumor says all is not yet serene at the institution. Jim Budd's trustees will meet tomorrow to fix the responsibility for the escape, and, incidentally, to accept a few more resignations of old employes to make room for novices.

It is to be hoped that the Board of Supervisors of Riverside County will see their way clear to rescind the order for the withdrawal of the Riverside exhibit from the Chamber of Commerce. The order was made on the score of economy but it seems a false economy to put Riverside out of the running for such excellent advertisement, and to give her the record of being the first of the seven southern counties to withdraw from the race on account of poverty.

FACTS AND FANCIES.

The King of Siam has decided not to visit America this summer, and society flutters with mingled sorrow and satisfaction. His visit would be an honor, but England's experience with Oriental royalties has been discouraging.

If Georgia's gold mine boom doesn't build up the State, she may as well give it up as a bad job.

Our next naval war will teach this country more about coaling stations in a week than it has been able to learn in the last generation.

So far May has been a very good—which means a very bad—imitation of April.

Before we censure the Legislature too freely for its slowness in passing bills, let us consider well what might happen if the legislators were paid by the job, instead of by the day—so much for every law enacted. What an amount of bad legislation our present system saves us from.

The doubt whether Mr. Dingley will recognize his bill when it comes from the Senate continues to grow and increase.

Of course that Chicago bank was wrecked by a woman. But recent developments show that if there had been no woman within reach of its susceptible president, the bank might just as well have been wrecked by fast horses.

Adlai Stevenson appears to be entirely free from any suspicion that he is figuring on another term.

If General Miles doesn't get started for the seat of war pretty soon, he will scarcely get there in time to write a history of the struggle.

Kentucky might not be able to get up much of a National Exhibition, but her moonshine distilleries, toll-gate raiders, Ku Klux patrollers, lynching bees and other divertisements of the same kind would make a highly vivacious Midway Plaisance.

WHAT TO DO WITH TRAMPS

The tramp question is a serious and an expensive one. The law abiding, tax paying citizens of the country are compelled to support a large army of tramps. This class, as a rule, would prefer idleness to work, while in exceptional cases there are tramps to be found who would work if they could get a chance.

These tramps beg upon the street and go about the city and the country from house to house asking for food and getting it. Frequently they commit depredations on property and occasionally attacks on life, as witness the attack made on a defenseless woman at Ontario only a few days since.

While the Government in one way or another, or the people who form the Government, is taxed regularly or irregularly to support this class of idlers, ought not some systematic way to be provided for their support that will distribute the burden more evenly and give greater protection to life and property?

The late Legislative session passed a law providing that persons having no visible means of support should be put to work on the highways, but the Governor, for some reason, saw fit to veto the bill, and it did not become a law. Perhaps the bill was not as carefully drawn as it ought to have been. Perhaps this was not just the way to get at the matter. The idea of compelling this class of people to work for the public good while the public are contributing to their support seems to be a good one, and the law making power should follow up this line of thought until something practical is developed.

It has been suggested—and the suggestion has great force—that the United States might enlarge its army and navy, and that all persons found who have no visible means of support, or who have no real good excuse for living, should be placed for a number of years in either one branch of the public service or the other, and that the army in times of peace should be set to work constructing good wagon roads throughout the various States of the Union. All the great military reservations of the country have the very best of roads to be found anywhere. They are not only carefully graded, but they are macadamized. They are built by the army. Why could not the army be increased and the work increased also, and the benefits of this system be extended to the general public, instead of being confined to the building of roads for the use of army officers only?

Each year the military schools are turning out graduates who are entitled to commissions in the army, but there are no places for them. By enlarging the army, positions could be given to all the graduates of West Point as soon as the cadets get through with their course of study and training.

It costs no more to support an organized army that it does a disorganized mob.

It is not the intention to include in this programme the large numbers of enforced idlers who are ready to work but who cannot get it because of the depressed condition of business, but only that professional class of drones who never seek for labor with the hope of finding it.

Five years of service in the army would teach this class lessons of industry and would do them great good, while at the same time it would protect the law abiding, tax paying citizens, who are entitled to protection for themselves and their families.—Los Angeles Herald.

NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS.

Growth of the Idea That Came to the Man Who Started the First Bureau.

This idea with millions in it came first to a man who faced in his next week a disagreeable potentiality of hunger. The potentiality would become a certainty unless before he exhausted the remains of his last coin just broken, he had hit upon something whereby to earn other coins. It was in Paris, just about the time of the Salon's opening. The man in hard luck sat a bit over his food, watching between mouthfuls the stream of breakfasters, who ate briskly, with the air of men who knew what they meant to do afterward.

The man watching wished himself in like ease. Naturally his mind was alert. He noted every detail—this one's walk and that one's nod, the set of another's coat, and the scowl which went along with the tip of still another. That is how it happened that the man and the minute men met to evolve the idea. Less alert he would not have noticed that a certain artist, after he had eaten, walked up to the dame du comptoir and received from her a handful of papers of the day before, each containing a reference to the artist's picture in the Salon. The artist paid for them liberally—at least ten times the original cost, and murmured thanks besides to madame for her thought and trouble in the matter. Then he went away. The idea, though, remained. A new business had been born into a busy world.

"This man has paid for a handful of papers that mention him. There are other papers—other men, too. Perhaps they will do likewise. At any rate it is worth trying," the man in search of a vocation said to himself. Then he paid for his breakfast, adding a tip "for luck," and scurried off to make the round of the studios. It is needless to particularize further. The clippings bureaus had their beginning in just this haphazard fashion.

The scheme took like wildfire. Soon the man had a complete establishment in Paris, another in London, and a third in New York. As he could not protect it by letters patent, of course the bureaus increased and multiplied. Now the whole world is their parish—even outlying regions like Cape Town, in South Africa, and Melbourne, Australia, can boast them in plenty. As for Europe, India, and these United States they are blotched and spattered with them. Nor is that the whole extent of the idea's growth. The railways and express companies have taken it home to themselves. Once they were among the steadiest and best paying patrons of the regular bureaus. Now they have learned a trick worth two of that. It is to collect, preserve, and classify clippings for themselves. Their agents all over the country have orders to preserve and send to headquarters everything touching their own line, or railway matters in general, which appears in the local papers. The clippings are tabulated and put into books, duly indexed at the city offices, where other clerks are kept busy collating and running down railway items in the big city sheets. Often the scrap books have proved of great value in damage cases. With the express companies it is much the same.

Outside this great branch is now computed that the business of furnishing newspaper clippings employs a capital aggregating fifteen million dollars and gives employment to something like thirty thousand people. Pretty substantial fruit that for an insubstantial idea. Nor is it, as a cynic might declare, wholly a harvest of vanity. It gives one a new and vivid comprehension of the enormous reach and tremendous range of the press to glance over the book of latest orders in a well established bureau. Here a man wants everything about the X rays. Below him a financier is down for Nicaragua and Panama canal matters. In the next column XYZ wants reports of divorce cases everywhere, and right underneath an anonymous person is eager in southern outrages. Matter on spiritualism is another order, the North Pole another, and electric inventions a third. Several people want South African clippings. There are Cuban orders, too, not to name a dozen or more upon all manners of religious topics. This wholly aside from the personal touch which gave the bureaus their first success. Still a large part of their business comes from those who would please the public—actors, artists, the makers of books, particularly poets.

As the shadow of a great rock in a weary land, so is the obituary habit of men of clippings. Thence come some of their fattest jobs. About any man of moderate prominence they are reasonably sure of gathering from five hundred to a thousand clippings. There is a sort of corelation among certain of the bureaus, which enables them to get whatever it is printed anywhere on the globe within a very brief space. Prominent men are nearly always amongst clippings bureau subscribers. If they are not, either the grief, or the joy of those they leave behind, suffices to insure a market for the mortuary harvest. Perhaps the biggest collection of such things ever begun was that relating to the late Jay Gould. His heirs ordered "everything," but withdrew the orders when, within the space of three weeks, the enterprising bureau man had corralled eleven thousand odd. Even that number was exceeded in the case of George W. Childs, whose widow gave a clipping man a similar order. The end of the clippings was a set of scrap books. Each bit of print, great or small, was pasted accurately in the middle of a great square of grayish Bristol board, and then the boards were bound into big volumes, covered in black morocco, and lettered in gold upon the backs, "In Memory of George W. Childs." There was a shelfful of volumes. The cost of making them went way up in the thousands.

Social struggles are another fruitful field. People on the fringe, or the fringe of the fringe, feel their footing ever so much more secure when they are mentioned in cold print—even if the mention is a bar "also present." Further liberal patrons are schools, colleges and institutions of every sort. Then there are lawyers who want the probate of wills everywhere, lists of heirs and notices of accidents.—New York Sun.

HOSPITAL SALARIES.

The Auditor Will Respect the Injunction Filed.

The injunction suit against County Auditor Whidden, to prevent him from issuing the warrants to the staff of the Receiving Hospital, will be started Thursday, when a restraining order will be issued.

Yesterday afternoon William Walsh, through his attorney, Phil Walsh, filed a protest with the Auditor against the payment of salaries to the attaches of the hospital, until May 13th at 5 P. M. This is demanded so that sufficient time may be allowed to properly prepare an action, which shall determine the legality of the county supporting the hospital.

Upon the advice of District Attorney Snook, Auditor Whidden will respect the protest for the time stipulated.

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Dr. Boyer's sermon at the First Church last night dealth with present day problems in religious circles. Among other things, he said:

"Churchanity exists in its most virulent form. This age is smitten with a spiritual famine and paralysis of faith. The world is blessed with too many churches. There are one hundred and forty-five churches in America and only one God in the universe. The road to heaven is blocked with churches.

"Churches are accidents. A man can go to heaven by sleeping in one as well as another. A life of fellowship with Christ is everything.

"People are staying out of the churches in order to be Christians. Too many churches are sepulchers of the past, full of dead men's bones.

"Thomas Dixon said. 'For the last twenty years, Protestantism has been a collossal failure in New York.'

"It is true of every other town from Plymouth Rock to Poker flats, from Todn os in the wilderness to Yuba dam. Dives may fare sumptuously and, when he died, a preacher may be found false enough to say 'Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord,' but that won't avail him when he finds his coattails on fire and no water within a hundred miles.

"Think of the apostle Paul preaching in a church that cost half a million, whose bell seemed to say, 'You poor devils out there come in here and be saved.' While forty thousand children are praying night and day for soup instead of salvation, for second-hand clothing instead of the robe of righteousness. The thought is blasphemous."

The subject tonight is "Antidotes for Poisons."

South African Lecture.

Seats are selling rapidly for the lecture to be given Friday evening by Henry E. Butters, the South African miner, at the First Congregational Church. The subject will be 'South Africa and Its People.' The lecture is given for the benefit of the Woman's Exchange and the Associated Charities.

Police Notes.

Mrs. Marie Dollman, the eccentric little Frenchwoman who is charged with stealing a lantern from J. P. Beckett, the street contractor, has secured another continuance of her case. It has gone over till June 10th.

E. A. Jones, charged with selling lottery tickets, plea led not guilty. His trial was set for May 13th.

The Pirates Case

The case against Charles Pipenberg and G. A. Stronach, the estuary pirates, went over till tomorrow to allow the filing of a complaint.

Bail Forfeited

Fred Fonzo, the Fourteenth street saloon keeper, charged with selling liquor after 12 o'clock, this morning forfeited $20 bail in the Police Court.

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A HUMANE MOVE.

The Council Provides Money to Give Work to the Unemployed.

STREETS WILL BE IMPROVED.

Tim Holland Succeeds the Late Jim Hill as Watchman.

NEW ORDINANCES CONSIDERED

Many Greatly Needed Repairs in a Way to Be Effected.

The City Council at its meeting last evening took up the unemployed question and solved it, so far as the immediate relief of Oakland's unemployed citizens is concerned.

When the petition of the unemployed which was referred to the Street Committee and by it referred back to the Council was brought up, Mr. Cuvellier said that the Council was aware of the state of affairs among the unemployed.

"You are all aware," said he, "that a large number of unemployed people in this city have starvation staring them in the face. Before we were elected we were very solicitous for the working man's welfare—at least most of us were; I know I was for one, and we made pledges that, if elected, we would try to do something to relieve the distress on every hand. Now, when I wanted to put on six men as street sweepers not long ago, it was observed that there was no money in the treasury. There has been appropriated $7,000 for an engine house in the Second Ward but the people in the Second Ward can wait for their engine house until next year, badly as it is needed. But those men with hungry wives and children cannot afford to wait. They want relief and they want it immediately. They don't ask for money, but they ask for work to earn enough money to supply bread to their families. Mr. Rowe has thought out a proposition and I think it is a good one. I would ask to hear what Mr. Rowe has to say upon the subject. The petition of the unemployed must have touched the heart of every councilman who read it."

MR. ROWE TALKS.

Mr. Rowe said that $7,500 had been appropriated for a new engine house and $25,000 had been appropriated to build a new street of East Twelfth street.

"As a question of law," said he, "that work cannot be done before July 1st, when we must pass a resolution putting all money back into the general fund. It will be necessary to pass new ordinances after the 1st of July, re-appropriating the money. That being true, I say it is wrong to leave over $30,000 tied up when men are begging for a chance to work. Just the other day a man sent his little boy to me begging in the name of God and of humanity for me to find something for him to do. I can count in this Council chamber tonight a dozen men who are begging for a chance to earn the necessary money to buy their daily bread, to buy bread to take home to their starving families. I believe we may take this money and rob no one, but improve our streets that need improvement very much. There are great chuck holes in our side streets that need improving, and we can improve our city by improving our streets, and give at the same time, employment to the unemployed. My people of the Seventh Ward may say to me: 'Rowe, you had no business to take that money.' But I am willing to face every man in the ward. I tell you when it comes down to a matter of starvation it is time to act. When the time comes after the 1st of July to re-appropriate that money I pledge you now that I will vote for those appropriations."

MR. GIRARD AGREES.

"I agree with every word these gentlemen have said," said Mr. Girard. "I am from the Second Ward, where the new engine house is to be built, but I think it right to forego that for the present, when there are 100 families in my ward who are nearly starving. If the Council will pledge itself to vote for the re-appropriation after July 1st, I will be willing to vote to give this $7,500 to the unemployed. I think, though, that the work should be divided between the wards."

Mr. Upton agreed with all that had been said.

As each gentleman resumed his seat he was greeted with applause from the well-filled lobby.

The following resolutions were then introduced by Mr. Rowe and passed unanimously:

GRANTING AID.

"Whereas, There are now in the City of Oakland hundreds of worthy citizens with families dependent upon them for the necessaries of life; and

"Whereas, The streets of Oakland are in a most deplorable condition and are becoming worse each day for want of slight repairs; and,

Whereas, It is but an act of justice that all worthy unfortunate citizens be given an opportunity to earn their daily bread; therefore be it

"Resolved, That the sum of $499 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money now in the general fund of the City of Oakland for the purpose of filling chuck holes and repairing the streets in the —— Ward of this city, and the Board of Public Works is hereby instructed to expend said money for giving employment to the needy unemployed citizens of said —— Ward."

A similar resolution was passed for each ward.

CITY HALL WATCHMAN.

Another matter of importance which came up before the meeting was the selection of a night watchman and assistant janitor of the City Hall to succeed the late James Hill.

Mr. Watkinson nominated Tim J. Holland for the position.

Mr. Rowe withdrew the application of T. M. Fortier on the ground that there was another old soldier in the contest.

Mr. Fibush seconded Holland's nomination.

Mr. Rowe nominated J. W. Swain and the nomination was seconded by Mr. Cuvellier.

The applications of W. E. Wallace, J. E. Sturgeon, George Deal and H. F. Larrabee were read by acting City Clerk Holland.

Mr. Earl nominated E. P. Ericson.

Mr. Fibush moved that the nominations be closed and it took two votes to make a selection.

The first vote resulted:

For Holland—Fibush, Heitmann, Henneberry, Watkinson, President Pringle—5.

For Swain—Cuvellier, Girard, Rowe, Upton—4

For Ericson—Earl—1.

Absent—Brosnahan—1.

A second vote was ordered and Mr. Earl changed his vote from Ericson to Holland. Mr. Holland was therefore declared elected. A resolution to that effect was adopted unanimously.

DOESN'T AFFECT OAKLAND.

The following communication was then read from the City Attorney:

"On March 27, 1897, a general law was enacted requiring certain ordinances and resolutions passed by the legislative body of any municipality to be presented to the Mayor of such municipality for his approval or rejection and I am this day in receipt of a request from your honorable body for an opinion concerning the applicability of said law to ordinances and resolutions passed by the Council of the city of Oakland.

"Prior to November 3d, 1896, section 6 of article XI of the constitution of the State of California provided that 'cities and towns heretofore or hereafter organized, and all charters thereof framed or adopted by authority of this constitution shall be subject to and controlled by general laws.'

"On the last mentioned date the said constitutional provision was amended by inserting therein the phrase, 'except in municipal affairs,' thus relieving cities organized under charters granted by authority of the constitution from the operation of general laws in all matters essentially municipal in character.

"It will be noticed that the said act of March 27, 1897, relates exclusively to a municipal affair, inasmuch as it provides the procedure to be observed by municipalities in the enactment and adoption of certain ordinances and resolutions.

"I am, therefore, of the opinion that as to the method of adopting ordinances and resolutions the charter of the city of Oakland prevails as against a general law on that subject and that the act in question is not applicable to ordinances or resolutions passed by your honorable body."

ORDINANCES.

The ordinance requiring the separation of garbage from ashes was passed, Messrs. Heitmann, Watkinson and Brosnahan being absent.

The ordinance establishing the width of East Twenty-first street at eighteen feet was also passed.

The ordinance relating to the specification of streets with the amendment suggested by the City Engineer and recommended by the Street Committee was passed to print for five days.

The ordinance repealing the ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids for the Twenty-fifth street engine house was passed to print.

Coroner Baldwin's recommendation that an ordinance be passed prohibiting the bathing in Lake Merritt was referred to the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee. With the recommendation was enclosed a copy of the jury's verdict in the case of little Emil Nusbaumer, Jr., and his companion Hall.

MINORS THREATENED.

Mr. Fibush signified his intention of introducing an ordinance prohibiting minors from either sailing or rowing on the lake unaccompanied, providing that the City Attorney considered such an ordinance legal.

A communication was received from Adrain A. Williamson, protesting against Contractor Easton's slowness in getting to work on East Twenty-first street, between Nineteenth and Twenty-third avenues.

Other communications were received as follows:

From S. Cohen et al., to sidewalk Twenty-eighth street between Adeline and Magnolia by private contract. Street.

From L. W. Kennedy, reporting that brick was being taken from the Twenty-fifth street engine house. Street.

The following liquor license bonds were referred to the License Committee; Elben and Nor; Morris and Strauss, 1072 Broadway, C. Fischer, 1148 East Fourteenth street, John Winter and C. Netsle, 170 Twelfth street.

The claim of W. P. Ainsworth for $26.62, H. W. Brown for $75, W. J. Henderson for $75 and William Knapp for $75 for work done in the Treasurer's office were referred to the Auditing and Finance Committee.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were considered and referred:

Directing the City Engineer to prepare a resolution of intention for the opening of Tenth avenue between East Twenty-second and Twenty-eighth streets and East Twenty-eighth where not already opened.

Of intention to grade, curb and macadamize Chetwood street, from Moss avenue to Perry street. Indefinitely postponed.

Granting permission to cut down oak tree on Seventh avenue and East Eleventh street. Laid over till next meeting.

Directing City Engineer to establish grade on East Eighteenth from Fourth avenue to Boulevard. Adopted.

Directing the Superintendent of Streets to notify property owners to construct sidewalks on Pine street, between Taylor and Chase within fifteen days.

Of intention to grade, curb and macadamize Cedar street from Seventh street to right of way of the C. P. R. R. Adopted.

Directing Superintendent of Streets to notify property owners to sidewalk East Twenty-first street and Twenty-fourth avenue, and East Twenty-second from Twenty-fourth avenue to the city line. Adopted.

Granting property owners permission to sidewalk Kirkham from Fourteenth to Fifteenth by private contract. Adopted.

Authorizing the City Attorney to secure a certificate of search for that parcel of land included between the easterly and westerly lines of Third avenue, projecting northerly from the northerly line of East Sixteenth street to the southerly line of East Eighteenth street, at an expense of $10.

Directing the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners to place an alarm box at Isabella street and San Pablo avenue. Adopted.

Denying the petition of H. W. Martin et al. to change the water in Clinton Park. Adopted.

Authorizing the City Attorney to enter an appearance in behalf of the city of Oakland in the case entitled Edson F. Adams et al. vs. The City of Oakland. Adopted.

Fixing Monday evening, May 24th, to hear the objections of F. F. Werner et al. against changing the grade of Fourth avenue between East Eighteenth and Newton avenue. Adopted.

Granting permission to property owners to sidewalk by private contract Linden street from Eighteenth to Twenty-first street. Adopted.

Fixing Health officer's bond at $2,000. Adopted.

Directing City Attorney to procure a certificate of search of Chase street from Wood to the bay of San Francisco. Adopted.

Directing the City Engineer to do necessary work to establish the curb grades on Moss avenue from Oakland avenue to Lake avenue and on Bella Vista avenue from Moss to Lake avenues. Street.

Directing the City Attorney and City Engineer to prepare a resolution of intention to curb and extend Seventh street from Market to West. Street.

Directing the City Engineer to prepare resolution of intention to re-grade Fourth street from Market to Peralta. Street.

Fixing the salary of engineer of the steam roller at $3.50 per day. Auditing and Finance.

Of intention to grade, curb and macadamize Howard street from Brooklyn to Prospect avenues. Street Committee.

Transferring $598.61 to the school fund. Auditing and Finance.

Directing the City Engineer to supply map for City Clerk.

Directing Sunperintendent of Streets to notify property owners to sidewalk Chester street from Fifth to Seventh.

Of intention to re-macadamize Eighth from Franklin to Eighth street bridge. Street.

Of intention to re-macadamize Twelfth street, from Clay to Market. Street.

Of intention to re-macadamize, Fifteenth street from Broadway to Franklin Street.

Directing the City Attorney to dismiss the appeal pending in the Supreme Court in the case of George Taylor vs. F. K. Mott et al.

Of intention to re-macadamize Seventeenth from Clay to Grove.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Baker, Miss Irene Baker, and C. Elmore Leffingwell will leave Honolulu for home on the steamer Australia.

Mrs. S. G. Hilborn and Miss Grace Hilborn, wife and daughter of Congressman Hilborn, may spend the summer in Oakland. They are at present at Washington, D. C.

Miss Marguerite Fay of Sacramento is visiting in Alameda.

Rev. C. T. M. Allen is in Sacramento.

Mrs. J. Kimball is the guest of her son, Charles Kimball, of Los Gatos.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Evans went to Santa Cruz last week.

A. F. McDonald has been spending a few days at Santa Cruz.

Miss Jessie Mott and the Misses Helen and Alice Weinstock of Sacramento have been spending a few days in this city.

Ed. Taylor of Alameda is spending a few days at Los Gatos as the guest of Dr. and Mrs. E. P. Gober.

W. P. Prindle went to Highland Springs today for a two weeks' vacation.

A. A. Fink of Berkeley is in Napa.

Mrs. W. K. Gedge has returned to Vallejo from a visit in Berkeley.

Charles Deming and Miss Deming are visiting in Palo Alto.

A. Larsen of West Berkeley has returned after a years' absence at Spokane Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clough of Sacramento are spending a few days with Mrs. Clough's son, A. E. Brackett of Lorin.

Dr. A. C. Lane, Director of Experiment Station at Washington, arrived in Berkeley yesterday, and is the guest of Professor E. W. Hilgard of the Agricultural College.

George W. Arbuckle will speak before the Alameda Bimetallic League Friday evening.

Mrs. Mandler of Alameda, accompanied by her daughter and son left for a three months' vacation in Los Gatos yesterday.

Miss Barbour of this city is in Santa Maria in the interest of the W. C. T. U. Sunday morning she preached in the Methodist Church and in the evening at the Presbyterian Church of that city.

Professor Frank Dunn has succeeded Professor Blackledge as principal of the Peralta University Academy.

Mrs. T. Hunan is the guest of Mrs. Woodruff of Ontario.

Miss Hohn has been spending a week with Miss Mattie Holbrook of Ontario.

S. Wormser and Mrs. Stateler of Fresno will visit Alameda this week.

Miss Daisy Hinckley, a student at the State University has returned to her home in Fresno for her vacation.

Dr. C. L. Tisdale, George T. Wright and the Landsbergers, of Alameda are spending two weeks at Catalina Island.

Senator Eli S. Denison is in Sacramento.

C. S. Shafer and E. M. Whalley of Alameda are spending their vacation in Mendocino County.

Mrs. R. G. Aitker, wife of Professor Aitken of Lick Observatory, is visiting her father, Mayor W. R. Thomas.

T. M. Crawford, Ex-Clerk of the Police Court, has returned from a visit to Red Bluff.

MISS WILLIAMS' OPENING.

Spring millinery opening March 18th, 19th and 20th. Miss Williams, 1162 Broadway.

EMERYVILLE TRUSTEES.

Oakland's Fire Department Is Thanked for Timely Assistance.

At their regular meeting last night, the Emeryville Board of Trustees adopted resolutions thanking the Oakland Fire Department for their assistance at the fire, which recently occurred near the Emeryville school.

In the matter of the opening of Sixth street the committee asked for two weeks' further time. It was decided to expend $99 for a map showing the grades and elevations of the different streets.

It was reported by the Town Attorney that notice had been received of the Supervisors' intention to refund to the town half of the liquor licenses, the amount being $315.24.

Pure spices, 25c per pound at the New York Tea Co., 859 Broadway, near Seventh St. Tel. Black 3662.

Accidental Overdose.

As a result of the inquest over the body of Mrs. Olive L. Speddy of Alameda, who was found dead Sunday last with a bottle of chloroform by her head, the Coroner's jury returned a verdict of death by an accidental over-dose of chloroform.

CASTORIA.

The facsimile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

THE COUNTY BOARD.

Considerable Business Done at the Meeting of the Supervisors.

THE OPENING OF ROADS.

Utilizing Funds by Means of Transfers Under the Law.

THE SPRINKLING OF ROADS.

Certain Matters Held Over Pending the Vote on Annexation.

At 2 o'clock yesterday the meeting of the Supervisors was resumed, Supervisor Wells in the chair.

The first matter that came up was the question of accepting a verbal report instead of a written one of Supervisor Mitchell for the Committee on Improvement of the Auditor's Office.

The appeal from the chair was sustained, and a motion was made to accept the verbal report.

Resolutions passed to instruct Supervisor Wells, as Road Commissioner of Centerville Road District, to expend $175 for watering pumps.

The resolution carried to make sidewalks on Peralta street conform to a uniform width of 10 feet. The rest of the petition relating to grading was denied.

The resolution by Supervisor Talcott regarding the grading of High street was adopted.

Supervisor Talcott introduced a resolution to build a new culvert at a bridge on Fruitvale road.

A motion was made by Supervisor Talcott to put new boilers in the Infirmary, owing to the poor condition of the present boilers. The motion prevailed.

A communication from District Attorney Snook recommended the appointment of a bookkeeper in the Auditor's office, as required by law.

A resolution to appoint E. L. Johnson to this position at a salary of $100 per month was adopted.

A motion to put new shelves in the law library, at a cost of about $300 was carried.

A petition to fix up the crossing at Tevis street over the Southern Pacific tracks was laid over.

On the recommendation of the District Attorney, the petition for annexation of territory outlying the school district of Emeryville proper was referred back to the petitioners, as the proper signatures had not been secured.

Referring to the keeping of insane people temporarily in jail, District Attorney Snook read letters from the secretary of the State Lunacy Commission to the effect that the Sheriff may arrest a patient, but he cannot retain him in prison, or any place where he can come in contact with people charged with crime. The County Hospital is the only place where the law can detain an insane person.

The matter was referred to the Hospital Committee.

On motion of Supervisor Roeth the petition for the appointment of three Trustees for Piedmont Road District was taken from the table.

District Attorney Snook said that until after the new law goes in force, June 1st, the appointment of Trustees should not be considered.

The matter was again laid on the table.

The Board then adjourned to May 17th at 10:30 o'clock.

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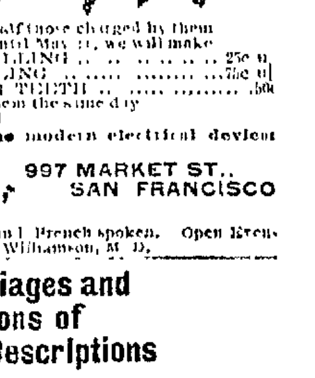

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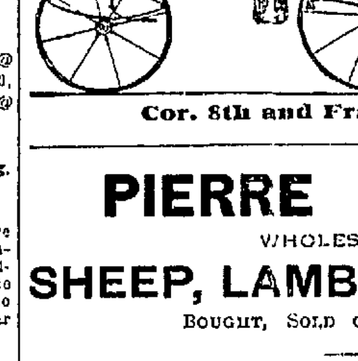

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Salad Dish, 7-inch	Each 17 cts
Salad Dish, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Vegetable Dish, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Meat Platters, 10-inch	Each 25 cts
Milk Pitcher	Each 35 cts
Salad Dish, 9-inch	Each 35 cts
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Vegetable Dish, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Salad Dish, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
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Plates, Dinner	Each 10 cts
Bowls, Table	Each 12 cts
Cups and Saucers	Each 12 cts
Coffee Cups and Saucers	Each 13 cts
Salad Dish, 6-inch	Each 15 cts
Vegetable Dishes, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Salad Dish, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Milk Pitcher	Each 25 cts
Meat Platter, 12-inch	Each 47 cts
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Water Pitcher	Each 25 cts
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Cream Pitcher	Each 5 cts
After Dinner Cup and Saucer	Each 8 cts
Cream Pitcher	Each 8 cts
Tea Pot Stands	Each 10 cts
Mugs	Each 10 cts
Cup, Saucer and Plate	Set 12 cts
Cup and Saucer	Each 15 cts
Cup and Saucer	Each 15 cts
Candlestick	Each 15 cts
Sugar and Cream Set	Set 15 cts
After Dinner Cup and Saucer	Each 15 cts
Butter Dish	Each 25 cts
Sugar and Cream Set	Each 75 cts
Cup, Saucer and Plate	Set 25 cts
Cuspidors	Each 29 cts
Nut Bowl	Each 35 cts
Cuspidores	Each 25 cts
Cup and Saucer	Each 35 cts
Cup and Saucer, moustache	Each 35 cts
Cuspidores	Each 40 cts
Chocolate Pot	Each 55 cts
Cuspidores	Each 55 cts
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Cabarats	Each 95 cts

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Pin Trays	Each 13 cts
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Cream Pitcher	Each 25 cts
Cups and Saucers	Each 29 cts
Plates, Dessert	Each 28 cts
Plates, Tea	Each 32 cts
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Wind Flower, Gold Trimmings	Set $6.75
Gold Illuminated, Gold Trimmings	Set $6.25
Bijou, Bell Flower, Gold Trimmings	Set $7.15
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HOW TO IMPROVE THE RACE.

A Scholarly Effort Which Was Heard With Great Interest.

The address of Mrs. Helen Gardner delivered last evening at the Unitarian Church was listened to by an enthusiastic audience.

The subject chosen was "Can Heredity Be Modified?" and the speaker handled the subject well, considering the question mainly from a scientific standpoint.

On the platform the following prominent leaders of the recent Woman's Congress were noticed: Mrs. John Swift, president of the Congress; Mrs. Lovell White, vice-president; Mrs. Austin Sperry, Mrs. Ada Van Pelt, Mrs. Dr. Knox, Mrs. Dr. Shuey and Mrs. Perkins of Arizona.

Following the introduction by the president Mrs. Gardner began.

"I was asked," she said, "to take this topic on account of the sentiment which grew out of my recent address on heredity, that heredity was inevitable in its results."

The question which the speaker aimed to answer was whether acquired character is transmitted by parents to children. She maintained that no school of science questions the fact of the existence of heredity,—but that nearly all differed as to the manner of heredity. The drunkard may not beget a drunkard but the weakness of the father shows in some form or other in the child. This is the vital point, and the exact form of the inheritance is the study of the scientist.

SCHOOLS OF SCIENTISTS.

The different schools of scientists were then digested and the speaker concluded that the outcome of all these controversies did not effect her in the least. It was not the manner but the fact of the transmission that claimed our attention.

Mrs. Gardner then told of personal investigation among the doctors of the East on the subject of transmission of disease from the parent to the child. The result of such investigations both among doctors and in the hospitals had shown beyond doubt that such a transmission was inevitable. The speaker did not maintain that this was the fact in all cases, nor in cases of local attention, such as the cutting off of a leg or arm in the parent, but maintained that in a sufficient number of cases to want a conclusion, a defect of the constitutional condition of the parents was visible in some form in the chi'd. This constitutional defect in the parent was not always inherited, it was often acquired. As an instance Mrs. Gardner cited experiments with animals which it had been shown that artificially induced epilepsy has resulted in a long line of epileptic descendents. The idea of heredity was not new. It was older than the words "the sins of the father shall be visited upon the children even unto the third and fourth generations."

RACIAL HEREDITY.

The speaker then touched upon racial heredity, showing how certain was its results, (that the negro be born of the negro, etc., and claimed that family heredity was just as certain.

Then came the question of heredity as the sole ruler of our lives. Said Mrs. Gardner, 'Heredity is not the whole study any more than the foundation is the whole house."

There is no fatalism in heredity. Environment has all to do with the development of inherited tendencies They are dependent upon growth and the conditions surrounding this growth determine the outcome. "Because you come of a consumptive race must you buy a coffin plate and succumb tomorrow?" Not in the least, that might be checked.

The selection of physical inheritances were merely taken as examples which might be more easily understood than mental and moral inheritances. In considering the moral tendencies the speaker contended that the offspring of those who dwell in luxury were really the least liable to be free from defects. The life of the modern young man in easy circumstances did not tend to a high moral heritance for his offspring. And yet man was no more to blame than woman; it was the result of artificia conditions.

"I do not believe," she said, "that under natural conditions women are better than men. Nor that men are better than women. The double standard of morals was purely artificial. How to stop the evil results of the tendencies of these times was the question.

"We must lock the stable before the horse is stolen." she said.

"One hundred thousand people are now in our asylums demonstrating the force of inherited tendencies. Heredity and environment act and react upon each other with the regularity and inevitability of the succession of night to day. Neither tells the whole story. Total ignorance of its principal has been looked upon as a charming attribute of the young mothers upon whose weak or undeveloped shoulders rests the responsibility, the welfare, the shame or the glory (the very sanity and capacity) of the generations that are to come."

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The decorations were unique and tasteful. Large palms, greens and ferns ornamented the platform, while above the Reliance banner was displayed. In other portions of the building, potted plants and cut flowers were arranged to advantage.

It was shortly after 8 o'clock that the entertainment commenced. Then the following programme was presented:

Overture, "Lustspiel" .... Keler Bela
Chorus, "On the Sea" .... Dudley Buck
Soprano solo, "Beware" .... Ernest Perring
Mrs. Martin Schultz.
Chorus, "Docton Saint Paul" .... Zolter
Selection, "Lole Skirt Dance" .Otto Bendix
Chorus, "Doctor Saint Paul" .... Zolter
Solo by J. M. Robinson.
Soprano solo—
a. "Good Night" .... Robert Franz
b. "Confession....Clara Kathleen Rogers
Mrs. Martin Schultz.
Chorus, "Ho, Jolly Jenkin" .....A. Sullivan
Waltz, "Rendezvous" .... Geo. Posey

Each number was encored, and the musicians were generous in favoring with other selections.

Mrs. J. Cal Ewing was to have given a reading, but owing to illness she was unable to be present.

At the conclusion of the entertainment dancing was indulged in until 12 o'clock, the orchestra favoring with the following pieces: "Waltz, "Daughter of Love"; polka, "Naughty Boy"; deux temps, "King Cotton"; schottische, "Dancing on the Pier"; waltz, "My Little Sunday Girl"; deux temps, "My Darktown Gal"; polka, "Viceroy"; waltz, "Doris."

The members of the chorus are: First tenors—W. H. Rabe, W. Angus, W. W. Davis, E. O. Gray, Chas. Philpott, H. H. Haight. Second tenors—E. S. Dowdle, W. Walker, W. E. Montgomery, H. L. Taylor, Chas. W. Crist. First bass—J. M. Robinson, P. S. Carlton, C. L. Trow, H. D. Gaskill, H. W. Thomas. Second bass—Chas. J. Evans, Dr. H. P. Carlton, Geo. B. McBride, O. N. Le Noir, M. W. Jellett. J. M. Robinson, director.

The orchestra is composed of the following:

First violin—Geo. Lehner, A. A. Moore, J. P. Vane, A. H. Dewey, Eugene Colby, F. Hus, Fred Rowell.
Second violin—W. I. Macdonald, George Kleeman.
Viola—P. S. Carlton.
'Cello—Harry D. Danforth, J. Langstroth, W. Milwain.
Bass—A. S. Cantin.
First clarionet—Ed Leach, Al Imhaus, E. H. Baxter.
Second clarionet—F. J. Andrews.
Oboe—W. L. Mason, G. C. Cushing.
Flute—A. T Baker, O. N. Le Noir.
First cornet—W. G. C. Gross.
Second cornet—G. A. Campbell.
First horn—Frank Raynes.
Second horn—Clarence Crowell.
Trombone—R. H. Jordan, O. A. Danly.
Drum—Frank Fleming.
Piano—H. I. Bennett.
Chas. W. Crist, conductor.
Music Committee—M. Jellett, H. W. Thomas, Chas. W. Crist.

DR. RADER SUSTAINED.

The Congregational Club Says He May Think for Himself.

A sensation was created at yesterdays' meeting of the Congregational Monday Club, when Dr. H. C. French resigned and stated that his reason for doing so were because he could not conscientiously remain a member while Dr. William Rader was president of the club as he could not even tacitly endorse the latter's views of the Scriptures as he did not consider them consistent with evangelical Christianity.

Dr. French's resignation was immediately accepted by a unanimous vote.

A prominet member of the Club voiced the sentiment of the majority of the members when he said that the Club warmly endorsed Mr. Rader and recognized his right to do his own thinking.

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Opening of the Bench Show on Wednesday With Favorites.

A Larger Number of Entries That at Any Preceding Exhibition.

The coming dog show, which opens Wednesday evening, will be a success. There are more entries this year than ever before and there will be some magnificent dogs on the benches. The interest in the show is keen. Every dog fancier in the county has his or her special pet entered and the blood that flows through the veins of these canines is as blue as that of royalties. The Humboldt kennels, the Alameda County kennels and the Mount Shasta kennels have entered their animals. Thos. L. Prather, W. L. Prather, Jr., F. E. Miller, Dr. Mills and W. W. Moore have entered their prize dogs. There are several other animals entered which have not participated in bench shows heretofore. Dogs have been entered from every part of the State. Many of the animals are expected to arrive today, and the big Exposition building has been put in readiness for their arrival. The show opens Wednesday.

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......	Port Costa, Martinez, Lathrop, Stockton, Merced and Fresno	11:45 a
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1:38 p	Niles, San Jose and Livermore	6:39 p
......	Niles, San Jose, Livermore and Stockton	6:39 p
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The Vaudeville Company Does Big Business at the Oakland.

A well filled house greeted Ward and Vokes last evening at the Macdonough Theater in their clever burlesque "A Run on the Bank." There is not a dull moment in the play, it sparkles with wit and gaiety and is presented in a finished manner. Ward and Vokes are both excellent comedians and years serve merely to accentuate the amusing eccentricities of their manner. They are novel and their comedy is mirth provoking. There is a dash and go about their plays that is lacking in the performances of many other comedy artists. The new play, "A Run on the Bank," is a delightful skit on wildcat banking. It is deliciously funny and some of the scenes are farcial in their ridiculousness. The specialties are capital, the song and dance artists are unusually clever and introduce several novelties. Ward and Vokes close their engagement in this city this evening.

THE OAKLAND

A crowded house greeted the International Vaudeville Company last evening at their initial performance at the Oakland Theater. Vaudevilles are always interesting and the artists at the Oakland are interesting individually as they give an unusually excellent performance. Their impersonations are remarkably clever, there is no straining in their character delineations. They are simple, natural and immensely humorous. Several new songs are given and the singers have clear strong voices and sing with spirit and magnetism. There are two or three pretty women in the company who dance and sing charmingly. During the engagement of the company this week there will be a daily street parade at 3 P M.

BALDWIN THEATER

The attractive qualities of "El Capitan" do not grow less. A crowded house greeted last night's performance and seats are selling rapidly for all the remaining performances. The music is bright and taking and the plot an amusing one. De Wolf Hopper was recalled several times last evening and made a speech abounding in humor and happy allusions. It is one of the best organized troupes that De Wolf Hopper ever headed.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

A picturesque comedy drama was the attraction at Morosco's Grand Opera House last evening. "The White Rat" is an exciting play and obtains its name from the fact that a murdered sailor has concealed a diamond of great value in a stuffed white rat. There are several excellent specialties introduced in the play.

THE TIVOLI.

Denis O'Sullivan is constantly gaining in favor in the singing of the tuneful title role in "Shamus O'Brien" at the Tivoli. The opera has entered on the third week of its engagement and it continues to draw well. Mr d'Arcy is popular and pleasing in his role.

THE ORPHEUM

Several of last week's favorites are still drawing well at the Orpheum. Alexander Tacianu the soprano-baritone is applauded as heartily as ever while the dancing of the pretty Fleurette and the four Fleurs-de-Lis is gaining constantly in favor. Guille is again singing at the Orpheum and Lillie Laurel is singing some of the popular songs.

ALCAZAR THEATER

The stock company at the Alcazar Theater made a decided departure from the beaten track of the dramatic amusements last evening when they presented Francis Powers' lurid little drama of Chinese life, "The First Born." The play is written from a Chinese standpoint and the treatment is both novel and realistic. This play was well received and Powers was called upon for a speech.

THE COLUMBIA

"Excelsior Jr" proved a frost at the Columbia Theatre last night. The Chronicle today says that it is such a brainless lot of common-place trash with so few points in joke or business that it all fell very flat. Cawthorn one of the stars is declared to have too many old gags to be able to make a showing and the whole performance did not create a very pleasing impression. "It is trying to run on its New York reputation without the show to back it" according to the Chronicle.

THE MOULD CONCERT.

The testimonial concert to Mrs. Kate Mould-Morgan at the Unitarian Church Thursday evening is assuming the proportions of a thoroughly delightful affair. The popular tenor, Alfred Wilkie has been added to the list of artists and he will sing that old-time test ballad of Hobbs, "Phyllis Is My Only Joy" and a charming duet with Miss Royer. The sale of tickets is gratifying and substantial help to a most worthy and destitute woman seems assured.

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The Question as to Who Is to Receive the Great Medal.

BERKELEY, May 11.—The knowing ones who have ventured to make prophecies concerning the military apointments have just about hit the mark this time. Lieutenant Winn announced the complete list yesterday afternoon.

The new colonel is George W Bauer, captain of Company D, which won the banner last year and came second in the competition this year. Charles A. Son, captain of Company H, the banner company for next year, is to be lieutenant-colonel, and W A. Starr of Company C major. O S Case of Company F is ranking captain. The other captains are: B P Miller, Company C, Hubert Mee, Company B, F P Taylor, Company L, R A Kinzie Company M, W C Jurgens, Signal Corps, W Fletcher McNutt artillery, Peter B Metcalf and S W Cartwright, Company F, are promoted to the rank of captains from that of adjutant and lieutenant, respectively.

The first lieutenants receiving commissions are as follows: W W Everett, Company H, L H Earle, Company B, F L Lovell, Company C, E L. Sadler, Company D, G F. Reinhardt, Company G, J D Hatch, Company H.

They will receive commissions as retired officers, subject to call from the Governor.

It is indirectly reported that Charles A. Elston will be recommended as the best representative student of the class of 97 and the one most worthy of receiving the Regents gold medal. Elston hails from Woodland, Yolo County. He has been editor of the "Berkeleyan" and captain of the baseball team during the past year and his brother, J A Elston, is president of the Associated Students. He is a member of the Delta Upsilon fraternity, the Skull and Keys Society and vice-president of the college Y M C A. Elston's reports during his college course have not been so high as those of A. G. Van Gorder and Miss Adele Schwarzschild, but Van Gorder was absent from college two years and Elston's prominence in college life in general is thought to have aided him.

The senior ball was given in Harmon Gymnasium last evening and in spite of rumors to the contrary, it was a brilliant affair and well attended. Mrs Martin Kellogg, Mrs Bernard Moses, Mrs Thomas Bacon and Mrs Frederick Slate were patronesses. J Brockway Metcalf acted as floor manager. The reception committee consisted of J A Hatch, Eugene Kennedy, Miss Bertha Knox and J Russ Selfridge. The members of the senior ball committee were G H Whipple, C A Elston, Dudley Dean, Miss Ethel Olney, Miss Grace Love and Tracy Crawford.

The University Science Association met last night for the last time this term. Prof Lawson, president of the Association, read a paper on "The Flooding of the Golden Gate." He described the movements of uplifting and sagging of the earth's crusts, and said that a sagging movement was now going on along the coast from Russian river to Monterey bay. The San Francisco bay is caused by this sinking, and in time the peninsula of San Francisco may go beneath the waves.

The School Census Marshal's report shows that the number of school children in Berkeley between the ages of 5 and 17 years has increased from 2645 last year to 2699 this year. This is an increase of about 10 per cent. As the population was 11,220 last year. It is estimated at 12,276 for this year, an increase of 1,056.

The blind pupils of the State Institution will give their annual concert on June 1st. The graduating exercises will take place on June 4th.

It is announced that Governor Budd will probably speak at the commencement exercises tomorrow afternoon. The Rev Dr Alger and President Kellogg will make addresses.

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Constable Cronin has revoked the appointments of two of his deputies B W. Worley and A. J. Haher.

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That Lee street in said city, from the easterly line of Vernon street to the westerly line of Adams street be graded, curbed with wood and macadamized with class "C" macadam, gutters to be three feet wide of broken rock and grouted.

Bidders must file with each proposal or bid either a check payable to the order of the Mayor of said city, certified by a responsible bank, for an amount which shall be not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposal, or else a bond for said amount, and so payable, signed by the bidder and by two sureties, who shall justify before any officer competent to administer an oath in double the said amount and over and above all statutory exemptions.

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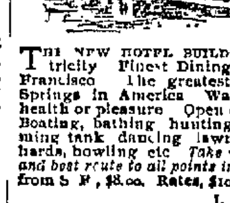

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ORDINANCE NO —An Ordinance requiring the disinfection and fumigation of residences and other places where contagious diseases have existed.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I

Whenever any case of smallpox, diphtheria, scarlatina, Asiatic cholera, tuberculosis or other contagious disease has existed in any building or other place within the city of Oakland it shall be the duty of the householder or proprietor of such place, or, if such place has ceased to be occupied, then of the owner thereof, to immediately and thoroughly fumigate and disinfect said premises in the manner and to such extent as the Health Department may direct. The fumigation and disinfection to be done at the expense of the city.

SECTION II

Every person violating any provision of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not to exceed one hundred dollars, and in case such fine be not paid then the person so fined shall be imprisoned at the rate of one day for every two dollars of the fine so imposed and remaining unpaid.

SECTION III

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its approval.

In Council Oakland Cal May 3rd, 1897.
Passed to print by the following vote:
Ayes—Messrs Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Fibush, Girard, Heitmann, Henneberry, Rowe, Upton and President Pringle—10.
Noes—Mr Watkinson—1.
Absent—None.
Attest J W TOMPKINS, City Clerk.
Oakland, May 8th, 1897.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Marion Elizabeth Day, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Marion Elizabeth Day, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, at No 977 5th street, Oakland, Cal, which said place the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Marion Elizabeth Day, deceased.

CHARLES E DAY,
Administrator of the estate of Marion Elizabeth Day, deceased.
Dated, Oakland, May 4th, 1897.

LEGAL.

ASSESSOR'S Notice to Taxpayers!

Oakland, March 1st, 1897.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 15 1897, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

First Monday of March, 1897

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629 Political Code becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars, and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 15th, 1897, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1897.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

Assessor's Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax Notice.

Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

Oakland, March 1st, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax for two dollars each for the year 1897, is now due and payable at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House or to a Deputy Assessor.

Section 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

then it shall be three dollars.

Sec 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax is guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

The same laws apply to the collection of Road Poll Tax as to the collection of State Poll Tax.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

No 4293

In the matter of the estate of Phillip Boogar, deceased.

Order to show cause why order of sale of real estate should not be made.

It appearing to the satisfaction of said Court by the duly verified petition this day presented and filed by P. P. Benson and L M Paterson the executor of the estate of Phillip Boogar, deceased, praying for an order of sale of real estate that it is necessary to sell the whole or some portion of the real estate belonging to the estate of said deceased to pay the debts outstanding against the said deceased, and the debts, expenses and charges of administration.

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before said Superior Court on Monday, the 14th day of June A D 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at the Courtroom of said Court, Department No 4 at the Courthouse in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, then and there to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said executors to sell so much of said real estate as shall be necessary, and that a copy of this order be published four successive weeks in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in said Alameda county.

Dated May 7th, 1897.

F B OGDEN
Judge of the Superior Court.

Notice of filing report of Commissioners in the matter of opening and widening Athol avenue from the eastern line of Newton avenue to the northwestern line of Watson avenue.

City Clerk's office, Oakland Cal, May 4th 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners heretofore appointed to assess benefits and damages and to have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement of opening and widening Athol avenue from the eastern line of Newton avenue to the northwestern line of Watson avenue, in accordance with Ordinance No 1764 have this day filed in this office and with the Clerk of the City Council of said city their written report, showing their assessment of benefits and the damages together with the plat of the assessment district, showing the land taken and to be taken for the work or improvement aforesaid, and the lands assessed, also showing the relative location of each district block, lot or portion of lot and its dimensions.

Said report and plat are now and will be open to inspection in this office and all persons interested therein and in said opening are hereby required to show cause if any why said report should not be confirmed by the City Council by the filing of written objections thereto with the said Clerk of the City Council on or before the 7th day of June, 1897.

(Seal) J. W. TOMPKINS
City Clerk.
By E. F. HOLLAND, Deputy.

ORDINANCE NO —An Ordinance changing the names of certain streets in the city of Oakland.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I

The names of the following streets are respectively changed, and shall be known and designated as follows:

Taylor street extending from Peralta street westerly, changed to Ninth street.

Seward street extending from Peralta street westerly, changed to Tenth street.

Lincoln street, extending from Peralta street westerly, changed to Eleventh street.

SECTION II.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

In Council Oakland, Cal, May 3rd, 1897.
Passed to print by the following vote:
Ayes—Messrs Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl Fibush, Girard, Heitmann, Henneberry, Rowe, Upton, Watkinson and President Pringle—11.
Noes—None.
Absent—None.
Attest J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.
Oakland, May 7th, 1897.

LEGAL.

In the Matter of
Opening
A Street Through
CEMETERY CREEK CANON

Street Superintendent's Notice Requiring Payment of Assessment.

Office of the Superintendent of Streets, Oakland, Cal, May 6th, 1897.

In compliance with law, notice is hereby given that on May 5th, 1897, I received from the City Clerk of the city of Oakland, and the Clerk of the City Council of said city, a certified copy of the written report, assessment and plat accompanying the same, made by the commissioners appointed by the City Council of the city of Oakland to assess benefits and damages and have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement of opening a street through Cemetery Creek Canon from 24th street to the northern boundary line of the city of Oakland, also the lands to be assessed for said improvement in said city, which said report, assessment and plat were filed by said commissioners, March 11th, 1897, and passed upon confirmed, approved and adopted (after notice given of the day fixed for hearing upon said report) by said City Council at a meeting thereof held on the third day of May, 1897, and that the assessment therein contained is now due and payable and is a lien upon all the property contained and described therein as therein assessed for its proportion for the cost of said improvement as shown by said assessment.

Notice is also given, that all sums levied and assessed in and by said assessment roll are due and payable immediately, and that the payment of each of said sums respectively is to be made to me within thirty (30) days from the date of the first publication of this notice to-wit thirty days from May 6th, 1897, and that all assessments not paid before the expiration of said thirty days will become and will be declared to be delinquent, and that thereafter the sum of five (5) per cent upon the amount of each delinquent assessment, together with the cost of advertising each delinquent assessment, will be added thereto.

Dated May 6th, 1897.

M. K. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets of the city of Oakland and Street Superintendent of the city of Oakland.

ORDINANCE NO —An Ordinance ordering the opening and widening of East 21st street, between 16th avenue and a line parallel with and 236 5 feet easterly at right angles from the eastern line of Thirteenth avenue, and appointing three Commissioners to have general supervision of the proposed work.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I.

Whereas, The said Council did, on the 16th day of November, 1896 adopt its Resolution of Intention No. 22,586 declaring its intention to order the following work and improvement to be made, to-wit: That East Twenty-first street in the city of Oakland, be opened and widened between the western line of Sixteenth avenue and a line parallel with and 236 5 feet easterly at right angles from the eastern line of Thirteenth avenue describing the work to be done and the land and premises deemed necessary to be taken therefor, and specifying the exterior boundaries of the lands to be affected and benefited by said work and improvement, and to be assessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses thereof, and

Whereas, The Street Superintendent of the city of Oakland did thereupon cause notice of the passage of said Resolution to be posted and published for ten days in the manner and as required by law, and

Whereas, More than ten days have elapsed after the expiration of the time of publication of said notice, and no objections have been made or filed to the work therein referred to, and the Council has acquired jurisdiction to order said work to be done, now therefore it is hereby ordered that said work and improvement be done as aforesaid referred to, and in said Resolution of Intention specially described.

SECTION II

Chas H. Daly, Samuel Swift and F. E Brink are hereby appointed Commissioners to assess benefits and damages and have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement until the completion thereof in compliance with law.

SECTION III.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

In Council, Oakland Cal, May 3rd, 1897.
Passed to print by the following vote:
Ayes—Messrs Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Fibush, Girard, Heitmann, Henneberry, Rowe, Upton, Watkinson and President Pringle—11.
Noes—None.
Absent—None.
Attest: J W TOMPKINS, City Clerk.
Oakland, May 8th, 1897.

ORDER OF SALE OF INSOLVENT'S PROPERTY.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of Christian Sauer, an insolvent debtor.

Order of sale of insolvent's property.

Upon reading and filing the petition of G H Perry, assignee of the estate of Christian Sauer, an insolvent debtor, praying for an order to sell real estate belonging to said estate, and it appearing to the Court that it is necessary to sell all the real estate of said insolvent debtor, vested in the assignee.

It is ordered that said assignee sell at public auction giving ten days' previous notice thereof by publication in the Fresno Republican, a newspaper published in the county of Fresno and also in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper published in said Alameda county, of the time, place and conditions of said sale, all the said real estate, that said property be sold to the highest bidder for cash, that if the said property be not disposed of upon the day fixed in the said notice of sale, then the sale may be continued from day to day until all said property is disposed of. The following is a description of the real estate belonging to said insolvent debtor's estate which is ordered to be sold, situated in the county of Fresno, State of California and bounded and described as follows to-wit:

Lot number 15 in block number 9 of the Altamont Addition to the City of Fresno according to the official map of the same now on file in the office of the County Recorder of Fresno county. Subject to confirmation of this Court.

Upon any sale being made, the assignee shall execute to the purchaser all necessary conveyance and bills of sale.

Done in open Court.

JOHN ELLSWORTH,
Judge of the Superior Court.
Dated April 28th 1897.
Filed April 28th 1897.
FRANK C JORDAN, County Clerk.
By JOHN A ROBINSON, Deputy Clerk.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Margaret Hoye deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of the estate of Margaret Hoye, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor at the office of W W Watson rooms 46-48, 120 Sutter street, San Francisco, California which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Margaret Hoye, deceased.

LLOYD P. LARUE,
Executor of the estate of Margaret Hoye, deceased.
Dated Oakland, May 4th, 1897

A COSTLY BLAZE.

The Adams and Baker Places Visited by a Fire.

ABOUT $30,000 DAMAGE DONE.

The Furniture Saved by the Hard Work of the Neighbors.

BOTH BARNS WERE IGNITED.

No One Knows, Though, How the Conflagration Started.

Two of the oldest and most handsome residences in Oakland were visited by fire yesterday afternoon. One was the old Houghton mansion at Thirteenth and Jackson streets, now occupied by Edson F. Adams, and the other was the Baker residence at Thirteenth and Madison, owned by J. H. Swift.

Friends of both families worked in removing the more valuable furniture and to their efforts was due the fact that very little of value was damaged by fire or water.

A number of heroic young ladels assisted in removing much of the bric-a-brac. Of these the more prominent were: Misses Hattie and Jessie Kimball, Alice Stephenson, Sadie Sinclair, May and Kay Vrooman and Josie and Kate Chabot.

When all was over, it was found that the Baker and Adams barns had been burned to the ground. The Dayton barn next door to the Adams property on Jackson street had two sides left, and the roof, attic and back of the Baker home was destroyed. The Adams residence was damaged to a greater extent. The east side, gables, upper and part of the second story were destroyed, while the whole building was soaked with water.

How the fire started is a mystery. Several theories have been advanced as to the origin, but nothing definite is known. It is claimed by some that the fire started in the Baker barn, by others that it started in a cowshed built in the alley-way between the Baker and Adams barns, while still others say that an ash barrel in the alley way was the cause of all the damage. The best proof is in favor of the idea that it started in the Adams barn.

It was 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon when flames were seen to burst from the Baker barn and 5 o'clock saw the firemen still working on the charred remains of the three barns and extinguishing a few smouldering coals in the two mansions.

At the time the fire broke out the persons in the Adams house were Mrs. Adams and her cousin Miss Ella Sterrett, and the servants.

The Adams Chinese cook was standing on the back porch when he saw smoke issuing from the Baker barn. He ran into the house and told a servant girl, who telephoned to the Central telephone station. The line between the engine house and the telephone station was busy, however, and a connection could not be made. In the meantime some young men who were playing tennis in the lot next to the Baker place attempted to notify the department.

Herbert Hume mounted his steed and rode to the chemical engine house at Thirteenth and Webster streets. Another young man tried to turn in an alarm from box 9, at Twelfth and Madison streets, but they were unable to get the box open.

All this time the flames were raging in the two barns. Chemical engine 1 was the first on the scene. When it arrived the fire had reached the side of the Adams house, but it was soon extinguished. The department then turned its attention to the barns. Naturally the heat from the barns caused the Adams house to again ignite, and before the department realized it the flames were playing havoc with the gables and under the roof of that structure. From that time on for a couple of hours the fire in the Adams house was beyond the department's control. It seemed impossible for Chief Fair to run a line to the seat of the flames, and orders were given and countermanded in quick succession. To add to the confusion of things the hose burst three or four times, and other hose had to be supplied to take its place. All this caused serious delay.

While the department was paying its attention to the Adams house and the two barns, the back of the Baker house became ignited, and the flames quickly crept to the roof, where, once under the roof and in the attic, they raged at will.

Assistant Chief Murdock was ordered to take charge of the Baker fire, and he quickly ran a line through the second story window in the back hall of the house. He had just succeeded in getting an excellent force on the flames when the hose burst. Without unnecessary loss of time, Murdock ran another line through the window and then commenced the most desperate fight of the day. It was necessary to run the line up a narrow, winding flight of stairs to the attic, and the smoke made it almost impossible to locate the flames. Perseverance won in the end, however, and the blaze was finally got under control.

Meantime, on the roof, Fireman Bert Swan evoked the cheers of the assembled crowd by taking a line up over the gables. Three times the hose slipped from under his arms, and three times at the risk of his neck he regained it. Today he is the hero of the department.

The damage of the fire will probably aggregate $30,000. The Houghton mansion was insured for $10,000. When the place was let to Edson Adams, General Houghton placed $3,000 insurance on the furniture, $1,000 on the oil paintings, $1,500 on the fresco work and $600 on the barn; in all, $16,100. The house was built for $16,000.

J. H. Swift had $6,000 on his dwelling and $4,000 on the furniture, which he had stored in the building. It is said that G. W. Baker was fully insured, but the amount could not be learned.

The Dayton barn, which is a part of the Merritt, or Garcelon estate, was fully insured. The damage to the residence will amount to a couple of hundred dollars. Covered by insurance.

The willingness with which the friends and neighbors rushed into the burning dwellings to save the furniture and costly pictures was a feature of the fire.

It was fully twenty minutes after the blaze had communicated to the rear of the Baker house before an entrance was gained. Then a hundred earnest workers hurried to and fro, carrying to places of safety furniture of all kinds. The pianos, billiard tables, side-boards, costly mirrors, silver-ware and china were early removed. The curtains, portieres and carpets followed next, and finally even the chandeliers were taken out. There was plenty of time to do the work, for the fire crept along the roof very slowly. However, the firemen were unable to locate it until the smoke and water had completely ruined the frescoes and whatever else of value that was left.

The frescoes of the two front parlors were particularly fine. They cost $500 for each room. The hall and drawing room had also expensive work on the walls.

The furnishings were carried across the street, and later express wagons conveyed the goods to a store house.

Among the many who did excellent work in clearing the Baker house were Harry Thomas, Roy Macdonald, Beach Soule, Robert Jackson, Charles Parcells, Frank Barnett, Herman Gard, R. B. Ayer, Roy Craig, Harry and Ray Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Baker and their daughter Irene are visiting in Honolulu. As a consequence, many of the valuables were locked up, and it will not be known how much has been lost or stolen until an inventory is taken.

Thieves, under the guise of helpers, got away with several things of value. A lot of rowdies broke into the wine cellar and made free with its contents. A basket of champagne was carried into the tennis court adjoining, and while the helpers were trying to save some of the goods the hoodlums broke the necks of the bottles and drank themselves into semi-stupefaction.

At the Adams house the work of rescue did not progress so rapidly, for the intense heat drove the workers out. However, much of the furniture was saved from the lower floor, though in the upper stories little of value was taken out. A great deal of the parlor furnishings were ruined by being saturated with water indiscriminately applied. The billiard table and pianos, together with several pieces of heavy mahogany furniture, were safely carted away.

Harry Gordon directed operations here with a will. He commanded the rescuing party, and after a great deal of the furniture had been taken out he directed the hose company, taking hold of the line himself.

Thieves also invaded the Adams house. One man jumped from a front parlor window with a number of pieces of silverware in his back pocket. He escaped in the crowd before he could be detected.

Some of the furniture was needlessly ruined by careless handling after it had been taken from the burning building. Some mischievous boys added to the damage by mutilating furniture. This was particularly noticeable with the billiard table, the cloth of which had been wantonly torn, while the table remained by the road-side.

As soon as goods were taken from the burning house, there was no difficulty found in disposing of them in places where they could be out of the way of the pressing throng and in a measure safe from the cupidity of those whom their richness might tempt into acts of larceny or robbery. The principal place in which the goods from the Baker house were stored were the yard and home of R. A. Harris, on the east side of Madison street immediately opposite the burning house.

In the adjoining lot on the north, that surrounding the residence of A. J.Ralston, more goods were temporarily stored.

In the residence of Mrs. Sinclair, at the southeast corner of Thirteenth and Madison streets, a number of articles were stored also, and the same was true of the residence of Arthur Thomson, 117 Thirteenth street, and that of George W. McNear Jr., adjoining on the east. In the direction of these houses, the wind carried many sparks, some of which landed on the several roofs, but they fell upon moistened surfaces, because individual home hydrants were turned upon them with practical results.

The material taken from the Adams home was distributed along the lawns of neighbors on Jackson street. The walks and sward in the premises of Mr. Kent, at the southwest corner of Thirteenth and Jackson streets, were studded with articles of value.

At the northeast corner of those streets where stands the residence of Mrs. J. C. Kimball were deposited a number of books, large oil paintings and some richly carved furniture.

Some of the Adams and Houghton goods also found their way into the lawn of Mrs. Clara A. Hamilton at 1165 Jackson street, as did also some of the household property of Mrs. Dayton, who occupies the premises 1168 Jackson street, which is immediately north of the Adams home. This residence was in close proximity to the blaze, but was prevented from being burned by the wind, which was from the north and which carried the flames in a contrary direction. It was deemed advisable, however, to take out some of the goods, lest the wind should veer around, in which event the structure should meet the fate of the others. After the danger had passed away, the furniture and bric-a-brac were returned to the home.

With the thousand and one incidents which made the fire unusual, there was not wanting a feature which showed the urgency of the occasion and called for the display at once of gentleness and heroism.

The first of those was performed by Miss Annie Staunton in apprising Mrs. Scheeline of the fire and escorting her out of the burning Baker building. Mrs. Scheeline was sick and had been placed in bed but a short time before by Miss Staunton. A few minutes later it was deemed necessary for her to vacate the premises, and the retirement was accomplished in a very successful manner.

Another act of this kind was the escorting from the Dayton home of Mrs. Stewart, the mother of Mrs. Dayton, who is 92 years of age. The old lady was naturally feeble, and timid, and the fire tended to arouse fears which were finally allayed when she was tenderly taken across the street to the residence of Mrs. Hamilton, escort duty being performed by Walter Hackett and a couple of other gentlemen.

Much criticism has been expressed in regard to the manner in which the fire was handled by Chief Fair. He seemed to have completely lost his head in several instances, and the spectators were at a loss to find a reason why the Baker residence should have been allowed to become ignited. At Chief Fair's orders the department turned its attention to extinguishing the flames in the barns, when a little forethought would have admonished him that, by allowing the barns to burn and by concentrating his efforts in preventing the dwellings from becoming ignited, would have probably saved both those structures. Twice the chemical engine had the flames in the Adams house extinguished, but each time it was called away to again fight the barns, with the disastrous results already recorded.

ANOTHER BLAZE.

Slight Damage Done to a House Near Twelfth and Brush.

While the fire department was battling with the flames of the double fire at the Adams and Baker residences last evening, an alarm was sounded from box 54, at Brush and Twelfth streets. Two engines, their hose carts and a hook and ladder truck responded as well as the one at the City Hall. When the department reached the fire the flames had been placed under control by a garden hose. The fire was at 715 Twelfth street, between the Pacific Press building and the Adventist Church.

It is supposed that one of the young ladies in the house threw a lighted piece of paper into a kindling box. The fire spread to the wall and soon reached the roof, where it was discovered and got under control. The damage of $100 was covered by insurance.

They All Watched.

The police department at the Adams and Baker fire yesterday had its hands full. Chief Lloyd, Captain Wilson, Sergeant Hodgkins, the entire detective force and eight regular officers were kept busy during the time that the crowd remained.

OAKLAND'S GROWTH.

School Census Returns Show a Very Encouraging Condition.

MORE PUPILS THAN EVER.

Apparently No Increase in the Number of the Chinese.

BIG LOSS IN THE FIRST WARD.

But in All Other Wards There Have Been Substantial Gains.

The complete returns of the recent school census shows a large increase in the population of the city of Oakland.

The increased population is based on the net gain in school children on the ratio of one child to every five adults, and the exact figures give the gain in general population to be 2,870, but this is undoubtedly placing it at a very low estimate.

Secretary McClymonds of the Board of Education declares that the population has probably increased much more and places the net gain at 3,300 at the very lowest.

The school census shows a most encouraging number of pupils in the school department. The census report shows that there are now 13,857 children between the ages of 5 and 17 years. These are distributed as follows: First Ward, 1,941; Second Ward, 2,763; Third Ward, 1,945; Fourth Ward, 1,977; Fifth Ward, 962; Sixth Ward, 1,361; Seventh Ward, 2,908.

These are distributed according to races thus: White boys, 6,822; girls, 6,833; negro boys, 92; girls, 95; Chinese boys, 12; girls, 3.

Of children under 5 years of age, there are in the whole city, white, 4,708; negroes, 53; Chinese, 7.

During the past year 8,852 attended the public schools, 1,642 went to private schools, and 3,363 did not attend any.

The nativity of the children is: Native born, 13,055; foreign born, 570. One-quarter of the foreign born children are in the Seventh Ward.

During the year the First Ward has lost 156 of its former children and the gains are as follows: Second Ward, 195; Third, 112; Fourth, 96; Fifth, 85; Sixth, 31; Seventh, 211.

GRADUAL INCREASE.

The comparison of the two tables clearly shows the increased growth and prosperity of the city, as more children are now in school than ever before. The school department of Oakland was established in 1854, and the first records of 1855 show that 155 pupils were enrolled. There are now enrolled in the public schools 8,852 children.

The condition of the school is most satisfactory. There are 205 teachers in the department, and they are efficient and thorough in their work.

The report of Superintendent of Schools J. W. McClymonds shows a gratifying gain in attendance and punctuality. The Tompkins and Central schools have not attained as high an average as the other schools, but have gained some.

Superintendent McClymonds stated today that the attendance at the schools was never better than at present.

MR. McCLYMONDS' VIEWS.

"The census report shows a gain in every ward except the First," said Mr. McClymonds, "and this is probably due to the fact that many of the people formerly residing there are now living in the suburbs, but of course the cause may be assigned to different reasons. It is true that the report shows that there are 3,363 children between 5 and 17 years of age who are out of school, but this can be easily explained. Children are not allowed in the public schools until 6 years of age, while children between 5 and 17 are counted in the census. We estimate that there are 1,200 children between 5 and 6 years of age who are not in the public schools because ineligible, nor in kindergartens. Now, this number should be subtracted from 3,363, and that will leave 2,163 children between 6 and 17 who are not in school. Of this number at least 500 or 600 have graduated from the grammar school and have so completed their education. They have graduated at 14, 15 or 16 years of age, and are therefore still counted as eligible to public school enrollment. Then again, many children are forced to be breadwinners in these hard times. The father can't find work, the children can, therefore they must contribute to the support of the family. The children attend night school perhaps, and so continue their education.

"You will notice that the boys and girls keep fairly equal in numbers in the schools. There are eleven more boys than girls, according to the census. The Chinese population shows no great increase."

DOESN'T WANT HER.

Attorney Knight Talks About the Von Turkheim Matter.

Attorney George Knight, representing the Fair heirs, says that he has no desire to secure the return to California of Mrs. "Von Turkheim."

"I told Lees," said Mr. Knight yesterday evening, "that, in my opinion, she had nothing that would be of importance in the Craven case or that could be introduced in evidence. Our side of the case wants nothing to do with this woman. Charley Fair will not put up a cent to fetch her back, nor do we care whether she ever comes back or not. We know where all the important documents in the Craven case are and for that reason it is not at all probable that she ever had any papers that could be used in the litigation.

"Even if Delmas told her that the Craven deeds were forgeries her statement could not be introduced in evidence for it would be merely hearsay. Again, presuming that she heard the consultations between Mrs. Craven and her attorney, a statement of the conversations could not be introduced in evidence, for it would be of a confidential nature, such as the law recognizes as existing between attorney and client. Several people have been to see us about this woman and have asked if we would be willing to pay the expenses of her return. Our position since the beginning of this sensation has always been the same. We decline to have anything whatever to do with the woman. Her relations with Mr. Delmas have no bearing on our case and I do not care to discuss them. In my opinion Delmas did all that a man could be expected to do for such a woman. She broke up his family, caused him to lose the roof over his head and made him mortgage his future for he has actually raised money upon crops not yet grown. What she may do if she returns here I cannot say, but I want it distinctly understood that neither Charley Fair nor myself will pay the slightest attention to her or to anything she may have to say. Even if she went on the stand and told her story I do not think the public would believe it."

HYPNOTIZED BY 'PHONE.

A Remarkable Story Comes Up From West Virginia.

The Patient Half a Mile Away, but Completely Under Control.

Charles Ebeling, of Wheeling, W. Va., has successfully accomplished the feat of hypnotizing a person by telephone. Mr. Ebeling was at the Y. M. C. A. building and was connected with the Register editorial department for fifteen or twenty minutes. At the Register office he had his subject, a young man about eighteen years of age, and a couple of assistants.

When the connection was made the subject was brought to the telephone and upon the command of the hypnotist at the other end of the wire he was put into a sleep. The subject was instructed to hold his hands together, and he was put into a hypnotic trance while one of the assistants held the telephone receiver to his ear.

The first suggestion made to him was that he could not unlock his hands, and the subject tried convulsively to get them apart and very nearly fell out of the chair while making the attempt. He was brought to again by the receiver being put to his ear and the hypnotist giving the word.

When he was brought to he was perspiring freely from his exertions. He was next put into a sleep, and while in that condition pins were run through the flesh of his wrist and pulled out a few minutes afterwards without drawing any blood.

The next was the rigid test. The receiver was put to the subject's ear again, and upon the suggestion of the hypnotist his body became perfectly rigid. He was placed on two chairs, his head on one chair and his feet on the other. One of the assistants stood on top of the body, proving that it was perfectly rigid. These were all the tests made over the telephone wire, but were sufficient to show that it was not necessary for the hypnotist to be present in person, but that the same results can be accomplished by the sound of the voice conveyed to the subject's ear by the aid of electricity.

The experiment passed off smoothly, except that at times the subject could not hear the hypnotist's voice plainly, owing to the defective condition of the 'phone.

The young man who acted as Mr. Ebeling's subject has been under his influence before, although he has never been hypnotized over a telephone before. The fact that he has been under his influence accounts for the fact that he was susceptible to the hypnotist's power as soon as he heard his voice through the receiver. The hypnotist and the subject were separated about half a mile, but the same effect would have been produced at a distance of a number of miles.

Apropos to the subject of hypnotism is a telegram received from Simcoe, Ontario, that is interesting. It is as follows: The man hypnotized and buried in the ground for threee days has been disinterred. Great crowds followed the box containing the body to the opera house. As the man was being brought back to a normal condition he was very restless, and finally smashed the box he was in to pieces. It required five men to control him in his struggles until he was fully restored to consciousness.

Just as it was about settled that the war between Turkey and Greece was over a Philadelphia preacher announces that he will leave for Europe on the next steamer to fight for the Greeks. It is a shame that the sanguinary struggle should thus be reopened and prolonged.

Whistling is tabooed in the dressing room of the circus, because it is believed to presage bad luck. It ought to be forbidden everywhere within doors, not from superstitious motives, but on the grounds of propriety and good taste.

Your throat is weak. Any unusual exposure or quick change in temperature causes roughness and uneasiness. Sometimes you have a feeling of tightness as if some foreign body were there. You can treat it with troches and washes, but you don't reach the seat of the trouble. Throat weakness is a symptom of more general disturbance. Scott's Emulsion of Cod-liver Oil does cure weak throats by healing the inflammation and nourishing and strengthening the system.

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FINE PROSPECTS IN SIGHT.

One Means of Bringing This City to the Attention of Others.

The summer market in real estate is encouraging both in its present state, and, more particularly in its outlook.

Inquiries that point towards favorable sales are received in large numbers by representative real estate firms. Prices continue low, but the indications for later sales are encouraging.

A number of real estate men were interviewed today by a Tribune reporter, and responded as follows:

The Laymance Real Estate & Investment Company.—"The market is more favorable. There is a noticeable increase in inquiries for improved and unimproved residence properties. We notice also that a large number of inquiries are for cash. Installment purchasers also feel more inclined to undertake purchases of property. We have had a great number of inquiries for miscellaneous auction sales. Inquiries for our sale Saturday, the 15th are interesting. The demand for furnished houses in Oakland for the summer is by far larger that for the last two seasons. There is a decided improvement in real estate circles. The large number of inquiries indicates a large number of sales for the succeeding months.

Mr. Benham of Benham & Thomas.—There are more inquiries now than I have known. There is very little speculation. If property is offered at a sacrifice, there are good sales. The large influx of representative people will necessarily favorably effect the market. I have suggested that owners of vacant lots should plant flowers in those, so as to improve the appearance of our city, and thus attract our Eastern visitors. This would greatly help the real estate market, especially during the summer.

J. H. Macdonald.—The outlook is better. We have made a few small sales recently and have several large deals on hand, that we expect to put through shortly. Inquiries are improving. People are looking around for small places for homes, ranging from $1,000 to $1,500.

E. G. Vinzent representing William J. Dingee.—There are many inquiries, but people in general are looking for bargains. The exchange business is better than ever. I do not think we can look for a material improvement until the fall when matters will be more settled. The tariff bill and these railroad rumors will then be decided. Prices have held their own on good property, while on poor property there has been a reduction of fully fifty per cent.

J. W. Moss—The market is better than it was a year ago. There are more inquiries for all kinds of property all over the town. There is also a call for country property and a big demand for exchanges in country and city property. Residence property is also in demand, ranging from $1,000 to $2,000 in value. It is a good time to buy, but not to sell. Rents are low, but there are indications of an increase. Renting is good.

A. H. Breed of the Lake Shore Company—Our particular interest at present centers in getting matters ready on the Adams Point property. Grading and sewering are going on. Many inquiries are being received. So far, thirty or forty people have written to me concerning the property. One encouraging sign has been that many persons from San Francisco, San Leandro and Haywards are inquiring, also people stopping at hotels who want to build. As for the general market, there will be much building of residences during the summer and fall. Property on the hills is most in demand, and that means a very good class of buyers. There is no call for cheap property, as people wanting such have not been able to invest on account of lack of work. The tendency is toward improvement. There is also a fair demand for business property at the value of about $50,000.

E. E. Bunce—Times of course are not as lively as we would like to have them, but then we are making allowance for bad times. I think a mistake has been made in going so far out of town with many of the recent deals. The city should first have been built up. I am not confining my efforts to purchasers at home. I am looking for others from abroad. For that reason I have scattered thousands of circulars throughout the East, every one of which is specially devoted to showing up the beauty and advantages of Oakland. These circulars will have the effect of making many persons inquire about this city. I have had inserted in Eastern papers over my own signature articles on the same subject, and these also will have a beneficial effect. I am hopeful of a very successful year.

THE FERREIRA CASE.

It Is in Progress After Some Delays in Judge Ogden's Court.

The trial of George Ferreira the Centerville man, who is charged with felony by Annie Nunes, who claims he promised to marry her, was started in Judge Ogden's court this morning, Judge Greene presiding.

The charges are very serious ones and the trial will be bitterly contested. The defendant has engaged quite an array of legal talent.

The entire morning was consumed in securing a jury and then Deputy District Attorney A. A. Moore Jr. made the opening statement, setting forth the facts.

JUSTUS CADING'S DEATH.

Pioneer Farmer of Mt. Eden Dies Leaving a Rich Estate.

Justus Cading, a pioneer of Mt. Eden, died Sunday night at his home. He resided in this county for forty-two years.

The deceased was born in 1835 at Bremen and was by turns a printer, sailor and soldier. When 20 years of age he came with his parents to California around the Horn and at once located at Mt. Eden, where the family has lived ever since. He leaves a wife and two children. The farm was a success from the time the deceased's father acquired it and the estate of Justus Cading is valued at $200,000.

Down in Alvarado.

A contract has been recorded between F. P. Hellwig and W. F. Emery, the contractor, for the construction of a one-story frame building on Canal and Seventeenth streets, Alvarado. The building is to be made into stores and will cost $2,580.

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An Insect Collection.

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After suffering from kidney disease for ten years, I am now completely cured, thanks to your treatment.—WM. GULL, Dalles, Oregon.

I have been troubled for ten years with kidney and bladder, and have been treated by several doctors but got no relief. I have been under your care but two weeks and have got relief.—W. J. ARNOLD, Santa Rosa, Cal.

I have been troubled for two years with inflammation of the lungs and heart disease; I had tried eminent specialists without avail. I heard of the wonderful cures by the eminent Chinese physician, Dr. Wong Woo, and determined to give you a fair trial, and after three weeks' treatment found myself perfectly restored to health.—JOHN BUGLI, Mission Road.

I had a severe and painful swelling of the knee. I tried different physicians but was unable to obtain relief, but within two weeks from the time I went to see you I was cured.—MRS. JONASSEN, 23 Hattie Street.

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Office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, Alameda county, May 11th, 1897.

Sealed bids will be received by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, at his office, until eleven o'clock A. M. on Monday, May 31st, 1897, for the furnishing and laying of 3,000 feet of standard four inch screw pipe with two four inch "Y's," three stand pipes, etc., to be constructed on the Haywards road in San Lorenzo Road District in Alameda county. Specifications for this work are on file in the office of said Board, to which bidders are hereby referred.

The proposals or bids will be opened by said Board in open session thereof on Monday, May 31st, 1897, at eleven o'clock A. M., and the contract for the construction of said pipe line awarded to the lowest responsible bidder.

Each bid must be accompanied by a check for at least ten per cent of the amount of the bid or proposal, certified to by some responsible bank and made payable to Frank C. Jordan, Clerk of this Board, to be forfeited to the county of Alameda as agreed and liquidated damages should the party or parties to whom the contract shall be awarded fail to enter into the contract within ten days after the award or to give the bond required by the Board for the faithful performance of the contract.

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THE WAR IN GREECE IS AT AN END.

King George Accepts the Offer of the Powers to Arrange a Treaty of Peace With Turkey.

ALL FIGHTING TO BE STOPPED.

Greece to Pay an Indemnity to Turkey of $25,000,000.

AMBASSADORS AT WORK.

The Sultans Troops Will Soon Be Withdrawn From Thessaly.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ATHENS, May 11.—The diplomatic talk has been brought to a definite conclusion.

Greece has formally adhered to the preliminaries of peace agreed upon between the Powers and the heads of the different legations have received positive assurances investing them with authority to treat with Turkey.

ALL ACCEPTED.

The collective note from the Powers on the subject of mediation has been presented to the Greek Minister of Foreign Affairs, M. Skoulodis, by the Russian Minister, M. Onou. It is understood the Greek Government accepted the conditions imposed and confided its interests to the care of the Powers.

Active measures, it is further stated, were taken at Constantinople today to stop further advance of the Turkish troops.

Greece having accepted mediation, the ambassadors of the Powers at Constantinople have been instructed to approach the Turkish Government with a view to ascertaining upon what condition Turkey will agree to declare peace.

ENGLAND NOTIFIED.

LONDON, May 11.—In the House of Commons today the first Lord of the Treasury and the Government leader, A. J. Balfour, announced that information had been received this morning from all the representatives of the Powers at Athens saying mediation between Greece and Turkey had been offered the former country and accepted by the Greek Government.

EXPENSES OF THE WAR.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 11.—The expenses of the war with Greece are estimated at $25,000,000, which Greece will pay as an indemnity in annual installments, guaranteed by Thessalian revenues.

TROOPS MOVING.

A dispatch from Larissa says the Imperial army is marching in two columns from Pharsalos on Domokos and Almyra. Fighting is expected today. An Imperial trade just issued orders gold and silver medals struck for presentation to the troops taking part in the war against Greece.

A FIGHT IN SIGHT.

LAMIA, Thessaly, May 11.—Two thousand Turks have been sent to Lake Nesere to close the road between Domokos.

Three thousand Greeks have been dispatched to reinforce the Greek troops at Domokos.

The efforts of the Greek commanders are directed towards preventing the Turks from surrounding Domokos, which would possibly result in the capture of the main body of the Greek troops under Crown Prince Constantine.

The following is the text of the new offer of the Powers:

"The representatives of France, Italy, Great Britain, Germany and Austria, charge M. Onou, a representative of Russia, and a dean of the diplomatic corps, to declare in the name of their respective governments that the Powers are ready to offer mediation with a view to obtain an armistice and smooth the difficulties actually existing between Greece and Turkey on the condition that the Hellenic government declares that it will proceed to recall its troops from Crete, adhere formally to autonomy for Crete and accept, unreservedly the counsels which the Powers give in the interests of peace."

The reply by the government is as follows:

"The Royal Government, in taking note of the declaration of the Russian representative acting in the name of the ministers of the Powers, declares that it will proceed to recall the royal troops from Crete, adhere formally to autonomy for Crete and confides the interests of Greece to the hands of the Powers."

AS SEEN BY CRANE.

The Author-Correspondent on the Attack on Velestino.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 11.—The Journal publishes a cable dispatch from Stephen Crane, who saw the battle of Velestino, where General Smolenski hurled back Edhem Pasha. Mr. Crane says:

Velestino has proved that the Greek soldiers when well led, can cope successfully with Turks, even though outnumbered. This battle has proved them great fighters, long fighters and stayers. To be sure, the army retreated fom Velestino, but it was no fault of the army. The commander bit his fingers and cursed when the order came to retreat. He was at that time perfectly confident of success. For three days he had been holding the Turks back and inflicting upon them heavy losses.

Then came the order to fall back, due to reverses or something in other places.

General Smolenski knew of course, his retreat would be at the sacrifice of Volo, and he raged. But orders must be obeyed; hence the occupation of the Turks first of Velestino and later Volo. In the middle of intoxication of victory came the orders to fall back. Why?

I only arrived at noon of the second day. The roll of musketry was tremendous. From a distance it was like tearing a cloth; nearer it sounded like rain on a roof, and close up it was just a long crash after crash. It was a beautiful sound—beautiful as I had never dreamed. It was more impressive than the roar of Niagara and finer than thunder or avalanche—because it had the wonder of human tragedy in it. It was the most beautiful sound of my experience, barring no symphony. The crash of it was ideal.

The slaughter of the Turks was enormous. The fire of the Greeks was so fierce that the Turkish soldiers while charging shielded their eyes with their hands. Eight charges the Turkish soldiers made on Saturday and they were repulsed each time. The desperate Turkish cavalry even attacked their enemy on a steep, rocky hill. The insane, wicked squadrons were practically annihilated. Scattered fragments slid slowly back, leaving the plain black with wounded and dead men and horses. From a distance it was like a game. There was no blood, no expression, no horror to be seen. All the assaults of the Turks this day resulted disastrously to them. The Greek troops fought with steadiness of salaried bookkeepers, never tired, never complaining. It was a magnificent exhibition. The Greeks fought all the time with the artillery fire on them, even in a musketry

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CAN NOT EXPEL.

Allopaths Will Not Alter Their Action About Fabiola.

SIMPLY WANT EQUAL RIGHTS.

Will Meet Tonight and Further Discuss the Matter.

STATEMENT OF DR. BUTEAU.

Says the Regulars Have Been Ignored Fifteen Years.

The Alameda County Medical Society will hold its regular monthly meeting tonight and the members will express themselves more fully on the matter of withdrawing from practicing at Fabiola Hospital.

It is not possible for the Society to expel any members who do not comply with the resolution regarding Fabiola, but it is very probable that those who do not fall in line will withdraw.

"This matter is not thoroughly understood," said Dr. Buteau. "An attempt has been made to have it appear that we are inaugurating a war upon the homeopaths. This is not true, for we are not doing anything of the kind. What we want is to have an equal representation on the staff at Fabiola and an equal share of the work. We have done as much toward building up Fabiola as the homeopaths and we want just as much recognition. The ladies of that institution are continually asserting that no discrimination is shown, that homeopaths are no more in favor than allopaths. With all due respect to the ladies, they are certainly misinformed. Fabiola is a homeopathic missionary institution and about four-fifths of all the patients there are treated by homeopaths.

"We do not approve of this. If both schools are on an equal footing there would be about the same proportion of the work done by both schools in the hospital as there is on the outside. This, however, is not the case, for the regulars do about ninety per cent of the work in this city and in the hospital this condition of affairs is reversed. We claim that this is not accidental, and as it has continued for fifteen years, we believe it to be intentional. Under the circumstances no member of the regular school can with professional dignity, continue to practice in a homeopathic hospital, such as Fabiola.

WHERE THEY STAND.

"We are not antagonizing homeopathy, but we do intend that we shall not be imposed upon any longer. We want half the work at Fabiola and not less than a quarter. Furthermore, we contend that the record of Fabiola clearly shows the truth of our contention and the justice of the stand we have taken. For fifteen years Fabiola's resident physician has been a homeopath. That certainly does not look like equal patronage. If the hospital is carried on without favor to either school it would only be right to alternate the schools and give the resident physician's place to an allopath every alternate two years, for which time the appointment is made. Surely once in fifteen years we have been entitled to some consideration, but it has not been shown us and at last we have taken a definite stand in the matter.

"There are a few who have signified their intention of remaining in practice at Fabiola, but we cannot help that. There are a few kickers in every large body of men. Among doctors they are generally men who have little practice or who have just come into a community, and they look for just such an opportunity to get a little cheap notoriety. We cannot expel them, as their offense is not of such a nature as to warrant it. It is an offense against the ethics of the profession, and not against our practice, and we can only decline to have anything to do with them. We cannot with dignity consult with them and so we will just leave them alone. If they wish to consult with homeopaths, they are at liberty to do so, but we cannot see how there can be any alliance between God and Belial.

WHEN NOT HOMEOPATHIC.

"The only time that Fabiola is not homeopathic is when it is in need of money. On May Day and such occasions Fabiola is beautifully impartial. The cards sent out contain the names of physicians of both schools and we are told it is non-sectarian and that all schools of medicine are welcomed there. On this showing it has been supported by people who believe in both schools. We contend that this is not a fair statement of the case.

"Frederick Delger, who is a believer in allopathy, gave $7,500 to Fabiola, General Kirkham left $5,000 to it in his will, and so it has been right along, it has been helped as much by one set of people as the other. The allopathic doctors have done their share toward creating public sentiment in favor of the hospital and we want recognition of that fact. The longer we allow ourselves to be discriminated against, the longer we shall have to contend for our rights.

"In this city the so-called homeopaths have done fairly well, because they are not honest in their profession. They practice as much allopathy as their own little pill business. There is not a doctor in Oakland today who practices the Hahnemann theory of medicine. Every year they are using more and more of our methods and of course they are proportionately successful. This being so, it is not to be supposed that we are going to work at a disadvantage in a semi-public institution where it is publicly stated that all things are equal when they are not. Even if the homeopathic doctors practiced homeopathy according to their text-books we would not care quite so much, because they would soon compass their own end; but they do not do so, but are continually encroaching on our methods of practice until we cannot longer continue to professionally countenance any such methods. In no other city in the United States does such a condition prevail. On account of these practices homeopathy has quite a footing and it is greatly due to the work of the so-called impartial Fabiola.

FABIOLA NURSES.

"Another point that we must not overlook is the missionary work done by the Fabiola nurses in the interests of homeopathy. These nurses are trained under a homeopathic resident physician and of course are grounded in homeopathic methods. They go out from there into all kinds of families and naturally are homeopathic in their training and tendencies. They are almost unfitted to be trusted with the patients of allopathic doctors, especially in difficult cases, and as a result they quite often induce a patient to call in a homeopath. If the practice at Fabiola were apportioned equally we should at least have one-half of the nurses trained in our methods. This is the status of our connection with Fabiola Hospital. It is not a row between the two schools, as some on the other side are trying to make it appear, but an action forced on us because of manifest discrimination.

TRANSPORTING FRUIT.

Some Trouble Arises Over the Business in the East.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

CHICAGO, May 11.—Two bills, each asking for a receiver for the California Fruit Transportation Company were filed today in the Superior Court. There is a quarrel between the stockholders of the corporation, one party accusing the other of mismanagement.

The company has been engaged since 1880 in the transportation of fruits and vegetables from California to Chicago and other markets further East.

Frederick A. Thomas, the president, sues for a receiver in the name of the company.

The other bill is filed by President Thomas and H. A. Thomas, the general manager. The defendants are Eugene R. Hutchins, vice-president; Wm. H. Hubbard, secretary and treasurer of the Hutchinson Refrigerator Car Company and the Dairy-Dealers' Despatch Company.

The trouble apparently emanates from the organization by Hutchins & Hubbard for companies to engage in the same business.

STARVED HIS MEN.

As a Consequence He Is Indicted by the U. S. Grand Jury.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 11.—The Grand Jury of the United States Court today indicted Captain Edward W. Reed of the ship T. F. Oakes, for maliciously and without justifying cause withholding food from his crew on a voyoge from Hong Kong to this port.

TARDY PUPILS.

The Report of Mr. McClymonds for the Month of April.

The report of Superintendent McClymonds shows a decrease of tardy pupils in April. In March there were 498 tardy, as again 444 in April. The tardy list for April, by schools, is as follows:

Central, 104; Clawson, 7; Cole, 6; Durant, 51; Franklin, 24; Garfield, 7; Grant, 4; Grove, 22; Harrison, 7; High, 61; Lafayette, 13; Prescott, 48; Swett, 14; Tompkins, 75.

The Lincoln School had no tardy pupils during the month.

TROUBLE IN DENMARK.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

COPENHAGEN, May 11.—The Premier and the Minister of Foreign Affairs Baron Reedtz Tholtt, tendered their resignation as members of the Cabinet this morning. The king summoned Ex-Premier Estrup to form a new Cabinet.

GOLD FOR EUROPE.

By Associated Press to The Tr...ne.

BOSTON, May 11.—Kidder, Peabody & Company will ship $700,000 in gold from New York by the steamer Columbia Thursday.

Don't blame

your grocer if he offers you colored tea or watery extracts or floury spices, because

(1) he doesn't know that you really want the other kind;

(2) he can't always tell pure food from adulterated;

(3) he makes more money on cheap things.

Don't blame him.

And yet, if you want pure

tea, coffee, soda, baking powder, flavoring extracts, spices

tell him: "I want *Schilling's Best*—my money back if I don't like it."

You shall get it.

A Schilling & Company
San Francisco

GOES TO PIECES.

The 'Frisco Firm, Williams, Brown & Co., Badly Involved.

LIABILITIES ABOUT $600,000.

Unsafe Business Carried on for Some Time Past.

BIG LOSSES IN AUSTRALIA.

A Number of Mining Moves in the Vicinity of Redding.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—The firm of Williams, Brown & Company is in financial difficulties. It is one of the oldest established wholesale shipping and commission houses in California.

A meeting of creditors has been summoned.

The failure is not entirely a surprise to business men, as the firm has been reported to have been shipping wheat at inopportune times and buying on a falling market. The house had a branch in Australia which, it is said, has been a losing proposition, and it is also announced that the cashier of the Australian branch is short in his accounts $150,000. The total amount of the liabilities of Williams, Brown & Co. is stated to be $600,000.

The big failure of Williams, Brown & Co., coming so soon after the embarassment of George Morrow & Co., the grain and hay dealers, has set the members of the Produce Exchange in a flutter and has caused a sensation on the floor of the Exchange.

Williams, Brown & Co. has occupied a front rank for a generation in the commission business and its affairs were conducted on such a large and seemingly prosperous scale that the rumors of financial embarassment were received with surprise and incredulity. Pending the meeting of the creditors, which has been called, the firm absolutely refuses to make any statement or to indicate the cause of the failure or to make a statement of its resources and liabilities.

A member of the involved firm late this afternoon said that the trouble was due to the stringency in the money market and inability to realize immediately on a large amount of wheat held at foreign ports in the firm's name.

The Company has been a heavy purchaser of California grain and arranged during the early part of the year to ship a large quantity of wheat to Australia.

Since December 1st the concern has loaded seven vessels for the Antipodes, the joint cargoes of which are valued at $500,000.

OAKLANDERS INVEST.

Interesting Notes as Regards Various Mining Deals.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

REDDING, May 11.—Oakland capitalists will soon erect a mill on the Crown Point property at Mule mountain, ten miles west of Redding.

It is stated that Captain Roberts of Sacramento has already expended $200,000 in the mines at Harrison Gulch.

John Frank of Red Bluff has disposed of his one-eighth interest to Roberts for $21,750 and now Roberts, McIntosh and Roper of Chico own all the mines of the camp in partnership.

ELECTRICAL MINING.

A New Improvement Is to Be Made Near Old Diggings.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

REDDING, Cal., May 11.—Poles are on the ground and an electric line will soon be erected connecting the Garlick power plant at Copely with the National mine and mill at Old Diggings, a distance of three and a half miles. This will make the third mining plant in the district to be run by electric power from Copely which is on the line of railroad ten miles from Redding.

HERMANN SONS.

The By-Laws Revised and Some New Members Are Enrolled.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WOODLAND, May 11.—The Grand Lodge of Hermann Sons convened at 9 o'clock A. M. The revision of the by-laws occupied all the morning hour. T. Kuhn, D. Williams, W. Kuhn, T. Muegge and Otto Salomon, all members of Concordia lodge, were initiated into the Grand Lodge as ex-presidents and members for life.

THE CONDUCTORS COME.

Several Thousand Strangers Throng Los Angeles Streets.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LOS ANGELES, May 11.—The twenty-sixth session of the convention of the Grand Division of the Order of Railway Conductors opens here at 1 P. M. today. The session will be executive. Grand Chief Conductor E. E. Clark will preside. There will be a public reception tonight at Hazard's Pavilion, when the Mayor and other prominent citizens will extend a formal welcome to the city. About 3,000 people have arrived in attendance on the convention. It is expected that 1,000 more will come.

DAVIS CHOSEN.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—E. W. Davis, a brother of W. R. Davis of this city, a resident of Santa Rosa was this afternoon elected secretary of the Board of Regents of the University of California.

His appointment will give general satisfaction.

SUICIDED AT LAST.

An Ex-Recorder of Los Angeles Brings His Life to an End.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LOS ANGELES, May 11.—Ex-County Recorder J. A. Kelley committed suicide in his rooms about 12 o'clock last night by blowing out his brains.

He had previously taken a dose of laudanum. Despondency brought on by a combination of domestic and business troubles was the cause. He had been a resident of this city for many years and was prominent in political and business circles.

DAY QUALIFIES.

The Assistant Secretary of State Assumes His Position.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Judge Day of Ohio today qualified as Assistant Secretary of State. Rockhill, whom he succeeds, will remain until the Assistant Secretary becomes entirely familiar with the pending negotiations. Then it is expected that he will be appointed to some foreign mission.

BROATCH KNOCKED OUT.

His Blue Coated Henchman Powerless Against the Courts.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

OMAHA, May 11.—The District Court has dissolved the restraining order issued on the application of ex-Mayor Broach and issued a peremptory writ of mandamus directing him to turn over the office to Mayor Moores.

A REVOLT ENDED.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

TEGUCIGALPA, May 11.—(Honduras, via Galveston, Texas)—The revolution is ended and the country peaceful.

ALL NEARED THE SHADOW.

Three Citizens Who Are Slowly Regaining Their Health.

The three well known citizens, who are now sick and whose welfare is so closely connected with Oakland interests are slowly recovering.

Hiram Tubbs, the East Oakland capitalist is about the same as he has been for some days past. The fact that he has not grown worse is taken as an encouraging indication that his ultimate recovery is merely a question of time.

County Assessor Henry Dalton is slowly recovering from the dangerous relapse he had last week.

J. W. Phillips, the East Oakland capitalist is now out of danger. His recovery will probably be a slow one.

DROPS OF BLOOD.

The Imaginary View Which Turned a Barber's Mind.

Antone Thomas, who was arrested at Seventh and Center streets last night by Officer Curtiss, was brought to the Receiving Hospital today and charged with insanity. He was placed in the big front room and the Supervisors appointed W. J. Keating to look after the patient.

Thomas is a barber and lives in San Francisco. Of late he has been stopping with his brother who conducts a shop at Center street. He seems perfectly rational at times, but occasionally imagines he sees blood on the necks of his customers. This sets the man into a crazy streak.

RELIANCE BOXING.

Two Eight-Round Contests Are Arranged for Tomorrow Evening.

Tomorrow night the Reliance Athletic Club will give one of its favorite men's night programmes, for which a large attendance is already assured. The contests will take place between Jack Davis of Omaha and Sailor Brown of Boston, as also Frank Raphael of San Francisco and Chas. Carson of the same place.

Both features will be found to be in keeping with the high standard of the sports which have heretofore been given by this club.

THE JOINT COMMITTEE.

A Report to Be Made Tonight as Regards the Tunnel.

There will be a meeting of the joint committee from the Merchants' Exchange, Board of Trade at Alameda tonight at the City Hall. The meeting will be informal and the members will formulate the report that they will make touching the question of a tunnel under the estuary or some other means of connecting this city with the Encinal.

MAY COME TOMORROW

The Change in the Fire Department at Hand.

INDICATIONS ARE IN SIGHT.

Clement May Introduce the Resolution for the Vacancy.

MURDOCK IN DANGER TOO

Speculation as to Who Will Be Selected for Chief.

It is understood that as a result of the dissatisfaction over the way in which the fire was handled yesterday a change may be made tomorrow in the head of the department at the meeting of the Commissioners.

Just what the outcome will be no one seems to know, but it is evident by the hints dropped by the Commissioners that the long-looked for episode may occur.

Possibly Clement will try his plan by introducing a resolution declaring the office of Fire Chief vacant. This would mean the removal of Fair and it is believed would be accomplished by the votes of Thomas and Clement.

Then will come the tussle for the appointment of a new chief and the question of who will get it is an interesting one. Fred Campbell's friends think that he has the best chances for the position but the other candidates all think they have a fighting stand.

If the plan goes through for the removal of Fair it is said that Clement will introduce a resolution also declaring vacant the office of assistant fire chief. This means the retirement of Murdock, but he has some powerful friends and it is said that he will stay even if Fair goes.

It is not expected that the street department matter will be brought up tomorrow nor in fact within the immediate future.

MR. ADAMS' GRATITUDE.

Thanks Extended to Those Who Aided in Saving His Property.

Oakland, May 11.—To the Editor of the Evening Tribune: Dear Sir.—Being unable to meet my many friends personally, I desire through you columns, to express my gratitude to those who so cheerfully and intelligently rendered me such valuable assistance during the burning of my home on yesterday afternoon. For through their careful and energetic work, practically all of the most valuable effects were saved in very good condition.

EDSON F. ADAMS.

MUST PAY UP.

City Attorney Dow's Notice to Bondsmen of Lambert.

City Attorney Dow today sent out formal notices to O. C. Kirk and Henry Evers, bondsmen of Walter Lambert, the defaulting Police Court Clerk, to pay the amount due the city. If the gentlemen do not immediately respond Mr. Dow says he will bring suit for the amount involved.

Mrs. Oppenheim Dead.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HUDSON, N. Y., May 11.—Mrs. David Oppenheim of Vancouver, B. C., who jumped from the Atlantic express near this city on Monday, while deranged, died today. The remains will be taken to Vancouver by her husband, a former Mayor of that city.

A Still Alarm.

A still alarm was sounded this morning for a small fire in a barn belonging to Captain W. D. Thomas at East Fourteenth street and Twenty-eighth avenue. The flames were extinguished before any damage was done.

Made Man and Wife.

The Supervisors rooms were used to celebrate a wedding this afternoon, when W. H. Van de Mark married August Holz and Annie Welling, both of this city.

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WOOL AND CUBA.

Both Subjects Are Discussed in the Senate at Washington.

A CASE OF CHINESE TRICKERY.

Protecting American Interests in the Alaska Gold Region.

TOURGEE IS TO GO ABROAD.

President McKinley Favors Yu Shu Yi, the Chinese Consul.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Mantle of Montana introduced two amendments to the wool schedule of the tariff bill. He explained that one represented the views of the National Wool Growers' Association while the other had been agreed to by a number of Senators on the Republican side.

The amendments were referred to the Finance Committee.

Gear of Iowa, chairman of the Pacific Railroad Committee said he would not press his motion to proceed with the Pacific Railroad bill today, but would urge it Thursday.

The Morgan Cuban resolution was taken up as soon as the routine business was out of the way.

Morrill of Vermont spoke in opposition. The Senator said that the purpose of all Cuban resolutions, including that of Morgan, was to wrest from the executive the right he alone hitherto had exercised o frecognition the belligerent rights or the independence of nations.

Morrill declared that Congress had no such power and its exercise would be contrary to all precedents. The belligerent rights of revolters should not have recognition based merely on sympathy. It must be based on justice and law.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Senator Forwar speaking on the Cuban resolution favoring its reference to the committee on Foreign Relations said that he knew the Administration had its policy on this question.

Allison asked what the policy of the Administration was.

Forwar replied that it was to ascertain, beyond peradventure the exact situation of Cuba. It sent an authorized and accredited agent there to investigate the conditions and to report.

TOURGEE GOES ABROAD.

Some of the Nominations Made by the President Today.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The President sent the following nominations to the Senate:

To be Consuls:

Albion W. Tourgee of New York, at Bourdeaux, France.

Sidney B. Everett of Massachusetts, at Batavia, Java.

Interior Department.—Henry P. Cheatham, North Carolina, to be Recorder of Deeds, for the District of Columbia.

Ephraim H. Snook to be receiver of public moneys, Buffalo, Wyoming.

NOT SHARP ENOUGH.

Chinese Not Needed Will Be Returned to Their Homes.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The Secretary of the Treasury is informed of the arrival of 272 Chinamen in San Francisco to take part in the Nashville Exposition.

Only twenty-one are needed to comply with terms of the contracts entered into by the Exposition Company. The remainder will be returned to China.

AMERICAN INTERESTS.

McKinley Has Taken Steps to Protect Them in Alaska.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The Cabinet today decided to send one of the new gunboats now building on the Pacific Coast to Sitka, Alaska, about July 1st. The great activity in Alaska growing out of gold discoveries has made the President and the Cabinet deem that this step is advisable for the safe guarding of American interests.

RESERVATION ISLANDS.

The House Refuses to Vote Against the Forestry Order.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The House continued the legislative day of yesterday today, and took up the subject of forest reservations again.

Underwood (Democrat) of Alabama spoke briefly and was followed by Ellis (Republican) of Oregon. Both advocated the restoration to the people of the reservations established by President Cleveland.

The House, by a vote of 100 to 38, refused to concur in the Senate amendment to revoke President Cleveland's order as to forest reservations.

Coast Made Boats.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The Navy Department has sent instructions to San Francisco for a trial of the gunboats Marietta and Wheeling built by the Union Iron Works. The date is left open so as to permit weather conditions to be regarded. Captain Sumner will be the president of the trial board.

Yu Shi Yi All Right

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The president has recognized the following consular officers: Yu Shi Yi, acting Consul of China, San Francisco; Yu Shi Yi, acting Consul-General, San Francisco.

It is not known whether these appointments have any connection with the recent Chinese troubles in San Francisco.

LEVIN

THE

Cash Grocer

Has opened at the same place, S. W. Cor. Tenth and Washington sts., with a full stock of Family Groceries. Will be sold cheap for cash.

ALL NEW GOODS

THE WAR IN GREECE

(Continued from page 1.)

lull, but nobody minded anything. The Turks were in great numbers and fought according to the precepts of their religion. But the Greeks were never daunted and whipped them well. Sometimes it was fighting among gaunt hills, sometimes fighting on green plains but always the Greeks held their position. When night came shells burst in fury, lighting the darkness. By the red flashes I saw the wounded taken to Volo. There was very little outcry among them. They were mostly silent.

In the gray early morning the musketry fire began again.

It rattled from hill to hill; batteries awoke and the whole play was resumed. The Turkish guns were superior to those of the Greeks, who had mostly mountain howitzers.

I watched for a long time the blue clad Greek infantry marching in position across a small plain. While I watched, the Turks changed their attack from the Greek right on the plain to the Greek left on the rocky hill. Then, the fighting became obscured from view. The Greeks lay in trenches, snugly flattened against the dirt, firing carefully, while the Turks loomed close before them. Every ridge was fringed with smoke. I saw soldiers in the trenches ease off and take a drink from their canteens, twist their cartridge belts to put the empty links behind them, or turn around to say something to a comrade. They then went at it again. I noticed one lieutenant standing up in the rear of a trench rolling a cigarette, his lips wide apart. In this careless attitude a shot went through his neck. His servant came from the trench and knelt weeping over the body, regardless of the battle. The men had to drag him in by the legs.

The reserves coming up, passed a wayside shrine. The men paused to cross themselves and pray. A shell struck the shrine and demolished it. The men in the rear of the column were obliged to pray to the spot where the shrine had been.

News came from the left that the Turks had tried to turn the flank and failed. The Turks formed on the right and moved slowly across the plain and the battery opened on them. I saw troops moving to the rear to prevent a possible flank attack in the direction of Volo. The fight on the plain to the right began. Masses of Turkish troops like shadows slowly moved toward the Greek trenches, indicated by gray lines of smoke. Shots began to rake the trenches on the hill and to also rake the battery to the rear. I hoped the Greeks on the plain would hurry and drive the Turks from their position. They did, it gallantly in a short, ferocious infantry fight. The bit of woods seemed where the fight occurred seemed on fire. There was a great rattling and banging and then the Turks went out defeated. There was general rejoicing all along the Greek lines, the officers walked proudly, the men in the trenches grinned. Then, mind you, just at this time, late in the afternoon, after another successful day, came the order to retreat.

Smolenski had apparently received the brunt of the fighting. Yet the centre and left near Karadjah, and at Pharsala had again retired. No one could explain it. We were not aware of the situation they faced, but it seemed an extraordinary order. They say Smolenski wept. I went down to see the retreat. A curious thing was that the Turks seemed to understand the order as quickly as we did. They moved up batteries with startling rapidity for the Turks. The retreat was not disorderly, but wrathful and sullen. A regiment of Ephzones, the kilted men, 2,000 strong, came down to cover the retreat and in the twilight, brightened by Turkish shells, the Greeks slowly withdrew.

THE ADAMS SUIT.

City Attorney Dow will shortly file an answer to the suit of Edson Adams et al. vs. the City of Oakland, in pursuance of the instructions of the City Council. The suit is brought by the executors of the will of the late Hannah Adams, and is for the recovery of $1,521, paid under protest to the city as taxes. Mr. Adams claims that the city should have taken the figures after the equalization of the County Board, the city having taken Assessor Dalton's figures before the equalization. If petitioner wins his suit, the decision will nullify the City Board of Equalization.

Lectures to Students.

Mr. Hammond of the San Francisco Weather Bureau lectured at the Central School this afternoon. Dr. McLean will speak on "Scotland" tomorrow at 11 A. M. to the classes studying "The Lady of the Lake."

The Stock Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 11.—Considerable strength was manifested at the opening of the Stock Exchange, gains being most pronounced in railway shares, particularly internationals, in response to better prices in London.

Arrived.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 11.—Arrived, the Allen, from Bremen; the Friesland, from Antwerp.

Liverpool—Pennland from Philadelphia, Assyrian from Philadelphia.

REMEMBERED IN DEATH.

Many Tributes of Worth to Seymour Chapin Davidson.

A Touching Memento of a Setter's Love for the Deceased.

A funeral impressive through its simplicity occurred this afternoon when the remains of the late Seymour Chapin Davidson were laid to rest. Seldom has more genuine sorrow been shown over the demise of anyone. Mr Davidson was a young man full of life and health when the dread disease, consumption, marked him for a victim. After a lingering illness, he died last Saturady at his hotel, in San Francisco. His cousin, Chauncey M. St. John of San Francisco remained by him until the last.

There was a marked simplicity in his arrangements for the funeral. Many of the warm personal friends of Mr. Davidson gathered around his bier today and the mourning was very sincere. The deceased looked natural and life-like and there were few traces of the disease noticeable in his countenance.

The handsome velvet casket was covered with a heavy pall of sweet peas, white lavender and palest pink mingling. This was the last gift of the employes of the Firemen's Fund Insurance Company of which Mr. Davidson was once secretary. Loose clusters of perfumed roses hid the silver bandles of the coffin.

At the foot of the coffin was an exquisite floral pillow and the story attached to this offering is a touching one. During Mr. Davidson's long illness, his pet dog, Nino, an Irish setter, never left his side. When his master had breathed his last, the dog's grief was unbounded. His pitiful moanings were touching in their mournful pathos.

At today's funeral, some one had not forgotten that the dog's grief was as sincere and heartfelt as the human companions of the dead man and the pillow had been sent with Nino's name attached. The pillow was of delicate white sweet peas with "Master" outlined in palest lavender sweet peas. A delicate lace of maiden-hair fern outlined the pillow. Other floral offerings were many and exquisitely beautiful.

The deceased was well known in Oakland. He was a grand son of Edward Davidson, the Consul-General of the Central American countries in New York City. He is a nephew of the Rev. Chapin D. D. of New York and of Mrs. Biddle, wife of Commodore Biddle, U. S. N. While on this coast, Chauncey M. St. John was Mr. Davidson's constant companion and the former did much to relieve him of the monotony and weariness attendant on his long illness.

The remains will be taken to Mountain View Cemetery and placed in the vault beside those of the mother of the deceased. Mr. St. John will purchase a plot and have the remains of mother and son interred side by side.

The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. John Mynard D. D. of St. John's Episcopal Church and were in Brown's undertaking parlors where the casket stood in the midst of flowers.

The following were the pallbearers: William Rennie, E. S. Bell of St. Helena; John S. Mumaugh, T. M. Gardiner, George H. Mendell Jr., and R. D. Hunter of the Firemen's Fund Insurance.

COURT NEWS

John G. Mattos Jr. has filed his bond as a Notary Public with Frances A. Jarvis and A. D. Raposa, A. F. Nunes and Charles J. Bond as sureties.

The final account of Mary R. Barstow, executrix of the estate of Alfred Barstow, has been filed. It shows that the total amount of cash on hand is $3,611.09 and that the executrix has a claim for credits to the amount of $6,420.11.

Frank Dalton, assignee of the estate of A. T. Hatch, an insolvent, has filed an answer to the suit brought by the Central Bank to secure payment of a note for $20,000, secured by mortgages on the land of the estate. The answer makes a general denial of the charges in the complaint on account of a lack of information.

J. F. Wiggington, Wirt Wigginton and J. M. Shannon, have been appointed appraisers of the estate of the minor Creed children.

Alice B. Collier has been appointed administratrix of the estate of John Henry Collier.

The distribution of the estate of Louise E. Overacker has been ordered. Anna L. Robertson gets $150, Howard Overacker Jr. receives $500, Louise Dahl $100. The remainder of the estate is distributed share and share alike to Elizabeth S. and Louise Overacker to be held in trust by their guardian, Howard Overacker Jr. The estate consists principally of notes amounting to $6,400 and $768.90 in cash.

Judge Hall has granted a decree of divorce to Jennie A. Meyers from Geo. A. Meyers. The complaint charged habitual intemperance. The wife was given the custody of the minor child, allowed $20 a month alimony and $60 attorney's fees.

Judge Ogden left the bench this morning to attend the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows in San Francisco. He will not be in his department this week.

Judge W. E. Greene met with a little accident yesterday which resulted in a painful injury to his right hand. He appeared in court this morning with the member swathed in bandages.

The default of the defendant has been entered in the divorce suit of Minnie Bayley against Albert Bayley.

In the suit of Diggle et al. against the Bernal Brothers, the defendants were granted leave to file an amended answer.

The divorce suit of George W. Dean from Edna M. Dean has been referred to the Court Commissioner.

Minnie Eckart has sued Andreas Eckart for a divorce on the grounds of desertion.

Chicago Produce.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, May 11.—Wheat, May, 74¾; July, 73½. Corn, May, 24; July, 25⅝@½. Oats, May, 8; July, 18¼. Pork, May, $8.60; July, $8.62. Lard, May $3.95; July, $4.00. Ribs, May, $4.87; July, $4.65@$4.67. Barley, 25@33. Rye, 34¼. Flax, 77½. Timothy, $2.90.

Chicago Sheep.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, May 11.—The sheep market was firm, native sheep, $3.50@$4.65; westerns, $3.50@$4.75; lambs, $3.25@$5.35.

San Francisco Grain.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—Wheat steady, May, $1.39¾; December, $1.27.

The Redwood Carpenter Shop makes house, barns and garden stakes—410 Ninth street.

CASTORIA. The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

DEATH BRINGS HARMONY.

Herbert Davis' Parents Will Now Quarrel No More.

They Have Decided That There is Nothing in Family Skeletons.

The suicide of Herbert Davis, the young East Oakland lad, has probably resulted in peace being restored in the Davis household for a time at least. Not that the son was a mischief maker, for he was an extraordinarily quiet lad, but the troubles of his parents grieved him greatly, and it is believed it was partially on this account that the lad ended his life.

William Davis, the harness man of San Francisco, is the husband and father. Some time ago his wife, Alice E. Davis, filed a complaint charging extreme cruelty and asking for a divorce. Many charges were made on both sides, and the family skeleton soon became public property.

The case was pending in court and was about to come to trial when Herbert shot himself. The father and mother attended the funeral, and their grief was mutual. The domestic jars were forgotten for the time being and may remain so now.

Today Attorney Harry Pulsifer, for the firm of Davis & Hill, representing the husband, appeared before Judge Greene and announced that, by consent, the divorce proceedings would be dropped from the docket. This order was made.

The husband and wife are well advanced in years, both being upward of 60. He resides in San Francisco, while she lives on the homestead in East Oakland, where the son tragically ended his life.

THE CORE BLOCK.

An Attempt to Move the Structure to Seventh and West.

A proposition was introduced in the Council by Mr. Cuvellier last evening, to condemn the old coffin-shaped building which has stood for years on the south side of Seventh street, between Market and West streets. The two latter streets join each other at Fifth street and at Seventh street they are only some twenty or thirty feet apart. The building has long been a source of danger on account of the passing trains.

In order to remove the building an assessment district will have to be made. The matter has been before previous councils, but nothing could ever be done with it.

THE BANK STANDS.

Unfounded Rumors as to the Spanish Bank in Havana.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HAVANA, May 11.—The Spanish Bank has not suspended. The report to that effect grew out of the suspension of the exchange of paper bills for silver. Crowds went to the bank yesterday to pay their taxes, believing that scrip would not be received in future, and also owing to the rumor that paper money would be listed, thus causing great losses.

The bank continues doing business as usual today.

A QUINCY FIRE.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

QUINCY, Ill., May 11.—The J. R. Dayton Tablet Company's plant, Valk, Jones & Mein's job printing offices and the Brumbaugh book store, all in the same building, were burned this morning. The total loss is $110,000.

LICENSED TO MARRY

Walter McBride Roberts, Decoto	22
Adelia D. Cullings, Decoto	18
Nathan Hollenbeck, Oakland	21
Annie Rivers, Oakland	18
Moses Morris, Berkeley	47
Mabel George Hutton, Alameda	23
Michael Dowling, Oakland	30
Margaret Kelly, Oakland	24
Henry M. Petman, Berkeley	27
Theodore F. Baldwin, Berkeley	21
August Bolz, Oakland	38
Annie Welling, Oakland	19

Machinists Adjourn.

KANSAS CITY, May 11.—The convention of the International Association of Machinists adjourned today to meet two years hence in Buffalo, N. Y. No business was transacted at the closing session.

The resolution demanding the control of tenders of type setting machines had been prepared for introduction, but it was decided at the last moment not to bring the measure up.

A Musical Evening.

A musical and literary entertainment will be given at the First Presbyterian Church Friday evening, May 14th, for the benefit of the Telegraph Avenue Sunday School. The programme includes selections for the Guitar Quintette, the "King's Daughters' Quartette," the Symphonious Mandolin and Guitar Club, solos by Mr. O. Le Noir, Miss Mary I. Sullivan, W. J. Oakes, Mrs. Blake-Alverson, violo solo by Rev. J. Rea, and reading by Miss Mabel Hussey.

Judge Greene Aroused.

Attorney A. H. Cohen incurred the displeasure of Judge Greene yesterday afternoon when he refused to remodel his motion for a new trial in the Tillman and Bendel suit against Bain. The case was continued for a week and in doing so Judge Greene announced that Cohen might be committed for contempt of court if he did not comply with the demand.

Market Quotations.

Corrected daily by Hill & Egan, grain and commission brokers, 468 Ninth street, Oakland. Telephone 126 Main. May 11, 1897.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July Wheat	72⅛-⅜	73½	71⅞	73½
July Corn	24¾-⅞	25⅜-½	24¾-⅞	25⅜-½
July Pork	8 52	8 62	8 52	8 62

Curb. July Wheat 73½, Puts 71⅝, Calls 73⅝.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET REPORT

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sugar	115½	116	115½	115¾
Tobacco	72⅛	72⅛	71½	72
C. B. & Q.	75¼	75⅜	74⅛	74½
Chicago Gas	82⅝	83⅞	82⅝	82⅞
E. G. Electric	31⅞	31⅞	31⅜	31⅜
Manhattan Con	83	84¼	83	83⅝
Northwestern	105	105¼	104⅝	104⅝
Rock Island	64	64⅜	63⅝	63⅝
St. Paul	74¼	74⅝	74¼	74¼
Western Union	76¼	76⅞	75⅝	76⅝
Jersey Central	79⅛	79¼	77⅜	77⅜

Dying by Degrees.

Nicholas Wilkie, who was brought to the Receiving Hospital recently to be sent to the County Infirmary, is dying of Brights disease. He has been too weak to go to the Infirmary and so has been detained at the hospital. He may not live through the night.

SEEKING A SECRETARY.

The University Regents Now Discuss Dr. Bonte's Successor.

An Executive Session is Held While Men Are Considered.

Special to the Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—The Board of Regents of the University of California are in session this afternoon, and it is believed that before an adjournment is reached, a secretary to succeed the late Dr. Bonte will be chosen.

There are several candidates for the position.

Shortly after the meeting was opened the Board went into executive session and at this writing are discussing the secretaryship.

LAID AWAY WITH HONORS

Imposing Funeral of the Late William R. Carr.

Distinguished People Gather Around the Bier.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—The funeral of the late William B. Carr, occurred this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, 2234 Broadway.

It was attended by a large number of friends. The flowers were many and beautiful.

The remains were interred in the Masonic Cemetery.

The interment was private and was attended by only the immediate family. The Rev. E. B. Church, the assistant rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, was the officiating clergyman.

The pall-bearers were Edward J. Pringle, Thomas B. Bishop, M. M. Estee, Chas. A. Shurtleff, Irving M. Scott, Frank G. Drum, W. W. Foote and Smith Brown.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

SATURDAY, MAY 8, 1897.

J J Stackler by G A Koch constable of Okd Tp to C Hirsch, W Center st 126 S W 8 th st S 25-10 W 106-9 N 25-10 E 106-7 to beg being lot 12 blk 530, $242.

Alice E Hart to Mary A Neary wf N E gardian of est Mary A and Charlotte Godfrey (minors), und ½ int of following—SW Railroad av and Wood st W 30-3 x S 90-7¼ being lot 5 blk 32, Lds Okd Pt Ferry Landing; same to same, S Railroad av or 7th st 100 W Wood st W 80-7½ x S 100-7¼ being lots 9, 10, 11 and W 5-7½ of lot 8 blk 32, Lds Okd Pt Ferry Landing, $10.

Katherine V Klinkner extx est Chas A Klinkner to Frank Davey, N Butler av 175 E Idaho st E 50 x N 135, $2,000.

Frank & Wilhelmina Davey to Clarence A Chichester, same, $2,150.

Alexr & Mary E P Johnson to Helena Morgenstern, S Buena Vista av 350 E Oak st E 37 S 50 E 13 S 95 W 50 N 145 to beg blk 46, Minturn tract, $10.

Laura Lawrence to L D West, SE Dana and Haste sts S 46-8 x E 150 being ptn lot 1 blk 6, College Hd, $100.

L D & Sarah West to Laura Lawrence, E Dana st 46-8 S Haste st S 46-8 x E 150 being ptn, same, $100.

Myron L Wurts to Rebecca Wurts, the S 30 ft lot 28 blk 12, Amended Map Central Park, Alcatraz and Newbury Stations, gift.

Agnes Thienger and as adtx est Anton Thienger to Philip Fickinger, NW Bristol and 7th sts N 100 x W 100 being lots 10 and 11 blk 76, tract B, Bkly L and T I Assn, $2,693.

The McCarthy Co to Mary Condon, lots 5 and 6 sub G, Fruitvale Terminal tract, $10.

Emil Liess to Mary Tschich, lot 11 blk D, Buenaventura tract, $10.

Sherman V — A T Stevens to Moses Greenebaum, SE Orral st 161.06 NW Yoakum av th along NE Orral st 80, th NE 120 SE 80 SW 120 to beg being lots 5 and 6 blk C, Fanny Davenport tract, being a sub of lot 6 Yoakum tract, $10.

Abigail A Mitchell to Lucinda Adams, E Webster st 631 N 14th st N 25 x E 150 being ptn lot 17 Lander & Casserly tract, subj to a mtge, $10.

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BORN.

CARLTON—In this city, May 8, 1897, to the wife of Dr. Harry P. Carlton, a daughter.

DIED.

SHANNON—In this city, May 10, 1897, Mary Shannon, a native of Oakland, aged 3 years, 11 months and 6 days.

SPEDDY—In Alameda, Olive Lurline Speddy, a native of New York, aged 39 years, 9 months and 14 days.

GADING—In Mount Eden, May 9, 1897, Justus Gading, a native of Germany, aged 62 years, 4 months and 9 days.

IDEAL BREAKFAST FOOD.

NOTICE to the PUBLIC

When the Firm of SEAGRAVE & FINIGAN Failed

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We will paralyze the shoe trade of Oakland once more, but we can't help it. We have the goods and are going to sell them. We find no trouble, as you are aware, to sell Shoes, when we sell them for one-half what other dealers ask for their old stock.

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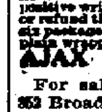
Last night about 8 o'clock the neighborhood became so alarmed that Officer Murray was requested to lock the man up. When arrested the suspect told the officer that he had been looking for kidnapped children for twenty-five years. He gave his name as Andrew Thomas and his nativity as the Western Isles.

He was kept in the City Prison over night and this morning taken to the Receiving Hospital.

MADE ME A MAN



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GEORGE W. LANGAN—Attorney and counselor-at-law, Livermore, Cal, practices in all courts.

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CLINTON G. DODGE—Rooms 15 and 16, 966 Broadway.

COX & CRAIG—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual Building, entrance 4, fourth floor San Francisco.

WICK & GOODSELL, Attorneys-at-Law, Blake & Moffitt building, rooms 6-10.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA—997 Broadway, northeast cor of Ninth street, Oakland, room 2, telephone No. 28.

JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 521 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

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Chief of Police Lloyd has asked all dealers in bicycles to send him their addresses and telephone numbers. This was done to aid him in detection of bicycle thieves, who have become quite numerous lately When the dealers have all responded to his request, the Chief will order that they each be notified as soon as a bicycle theft is reported so that they can be on the lookout for the culprit

A DESERVED COMPLIMENT.

We recommend to our Municipal Board that it sends its clerk, or some person equally qualified, to Oakland on a meeting night of the Council of that city and take notes of the system that has been adopted there for the dispatch of public business The Council meets but once a fortnight, and get through with more business at one sitting than Alameda's Board does at four. Everything is well digested in committee beforehand, and there is an orderly and progressive sequence that admits of a vast deal of work being done With such a system in force in Alameda there would not need to be a meeting of the Board oftener than once a month—certainly not oftener than once a fortnight Another thing is that the Oakland Councilmen do not proceed on the hypothesis that for one member to disagree with another and vote against his motion or proposition is discourteous Unanimous ballots are rather the exception than the rule. The members disagree, argue against each other, vote contrary, get through with one matter, drop it, and pass on to the next without wasting sentiment, temper or time. The public is better served if there is a little amiable friction, a litte hesitancy and questioning, instead of a dead level of complaisant acquiescence—Alameda Argus.

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"My Cake is Dough" Did not use Sperry's Flour.

TO ASSUME COMMAND

General Brooke May Be Placed at the Head of the Army.

HIS VISIT TO WASHINGTON.

Effect of the Absence of Generals Miles and Merritt.

GEN. WHEATON'S SUCCESSOR.

A Situation Unusual in the Army Since Its Organization.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, May 11.—Brigadier-General John R. Brooke, commanding the Department of the Missouri, is absent from his post He is in Washington by order of the Secretary of War and it is said is to assume the command of the army.

No such distinction has ever been bestowed upon an officer of his rank since the days just after the revolutionary war, when, for a year, a lieutenant was in command of the remnant of the Continental army.

General Miles, the senior Major-General, is off for Europe to get a sight of war abroad, and General Merritt has been granted a leave of absence to cross the seas. This leaves the army without a Major-General, as Major-General Wheaton was retired last Saturday under the longevity rule. General Brooke not being ranked as a Major-General, is ordered to Washington as a Brigadier-General, presumably to take command of the army.

General Brooke is the senior Brigadier-General of the army, and his selection for the command of the army in the absence of Generals Miles and Merritt abroad would indicate that he will be the next Major-General, the successor of General Frank Wheaton.

NOT FOR PUBLICATION.

WASHINGTON, May 11—General Brooke, commander of the Department of the Missouri, is in Washington. He is stopping at the home of Senator Quay. When seen in regard to the report that General Brooke is to assume command of the army during the absence of Major-General Miles in Europe, General Ruggles, the Adjutant-General of the army, said that no such order had been issued by the War Department. When asked, however, if such an order was in contemplation, he said it was a matter which he preferred not to discuss for publication. The army at present is without a commander. General Miles is on the ocean and does not expect to return to this country for several months. Secretary Alger is nominally in command, though orders are being issued by the Adjutant-General. When General Miles received permission to go abroad it was believed that the army would get along during his absence without a commander, though the Secretary of War expected to transfer General Merritt to Washington in case the services of a commanding officer were needed.

About the time General Miles decided to go abroad General Merritt, the commander of the Department of the East, asked for leave of absence and permission to go beyond the sea. This was granted.

It is believed by army officers that General Brooke has come here on a matter of much greater importance to himself than the temporary command of the army. General Wheaton retired Saturday and the President now has under consideration the appointment of a Major-General Brooke is justly entitled to this honor He was the senior officer a month ago when General Ruger retired, and was then entitled to promotion. Brigadier-General Wheaton was to retire so soon, however, that it was decided to promote him so that he might retire with the highest rank. It was tacitly understood then that General Brooke should have his promotion when General Wheaton retired. General Forsythe, however, who commands the Department of California, and General Bliss, who commands the Department of Texas, have now both applied for the vacant Major-Generalship on the ground that they will retire before General Brooke, and that they should be permitted to enjoy the honor of higher rank for the same reason that it was a month ago given to General Wheaton. While General Brooke's friends say that it was well enough to adopt this plan in the case of General Wheaton, who only had a month to serve, it would not be fair to apply it to General Forsythe or General Bliss.

PROMOTION BELIEVED.

CHICAGO, May 11—In army circles in this city there has been no doubt of General Brooke's promotion.

It has been believed that he would follow in the precedent established a year ago when for a month General A. McD. McCook was given the preferment over General T H. Ruger, to be succeeded by the latter. The promotion of Wheaton over Brooke about thirty days had all the features about it that characterized the advancement of McCook for a month over Ruger, entitled by rank to the promotion.

It is said in army circles that General Brooke's claim to promotion at this time is to be disputed by two of his juniors in years of service—Brigadier-General J. W. Forsythe, "Tony," formerly of General Phil Sheridan's staff, and Brigadier-General Bliss, only recently appointed from a Colonelcy.

They submit that if General McCook over-sloughed Ruger a year ago because he would retire in a month, and Wheaton the same this year, one of the other should be preferred over Brooke at this time, as he retires in 1902, while Bliss goes out in 1898 and Forsythe in 1899.

General Miles, who ranks them all, will not be retired until 1906.

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May 12th—Good Samaritans of Oakland.
May 16th and 17th—May Festival and Eagle Shooting of the San Francisco Schuetzen Verein.

TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION LABEL OAKLAND No. 36

TUESDAY................MAY 11, 1897.

Twenty thousand farmers in the United States are experimenting with sugar beets.

Redding has dished up a novelty in the gold brick line, this time the bricks being of real gold and the story being about how they were lost on the county road and returned by an honest prospector.

Don't complain about the heat here—it was 98 yesterday in the San Joaquin. When, on such occasions, the wind blows down there, it has been graphically likened to the breath of hell.

Stephen Crane says the crash of battle was the most beautiful sound he had ever heard. Wait until he hears the clink of the twenty-dollar pieces he is to receive for his report, he will enjoy that even better.

We are now told that "the Greek troops fought with the steadiness of salaried book-keepers, never tired, never complaining." Who says these high-priced author-correspondents are not earning their money?

Dingley denies that he made the statement attributed to him in the Democratic newspapers yesterday to the effect that the real purpose of the tariff bill is to create a surplus and impound the greenbacks.

The dog show will open tomorrow and the interest shown in it is an advertisement for Oakland all over the State. We want these shows annually but they can only be sustained by patronage, which suggestion should be enough.

Political jealousy cannot dethrone Prince Bismarck from his throne in the hearts of his countrymen. The jubilation expressed at Friedrichsruhe last night over his recovery from his recent illness spoke volumes for his popularity.

People who believe in a co-operative enterprise that can compete with the gigantic sugar trust must have a lot of confidence in themselves, yet a party of Santa Ana capitalists propose to erect a beet sugar factory on the co-operative plan.

Havemeyer, the sugar king, did not intend to give the lawyers a chance to divide up his estate by breaking his will. He therefore left no will at all and his property will now be divided by the established law of descent among his family.

Turkey does not intend to take any more chances about having Greek warships off Salonica. The cession of the entire Greek fleet is to be one of the conditions of peace. The Sultan might as well take King George's army too and thus make a good job of it.

Japan is going to demand indemnity from Hawaii for refusing landing to many of her subjects. Perhaps this trouble will prove a blessing in disguise for the islands, for out of the row that will ensue may come the long-hoped for annexation to the United States.

Fanaticism has reached a distressing height in Russia where seventeen hermits were at their own request walled up alive so that "they might receive the martyr's crown." This savors more of suicide than martyrdom and as the suicide is supposed to be awarded quarters in the lower regions they will miss their mark by a good deal.

Men like Edward Boyce, president of the Western Federation of Miners are dangerous and should be summarily suppressed. At the convention yesterday he urged the formation of a rifle club in every union saying that two years from now they can have 25,000 armed men in the ranks of labor and thus terrorize the capital which he claimed is now overriding the workingman.

Jonah and the whale are still raising ructions despite the fact that their part in the world's drama was played thousands of years ago. They have now brought about the resignation of Rev. Dr. French from the Congregational Club in San Francisco that gentleman saying he cannot remain in the organization and thereby tacitly endorse Dr. Rader's version of the old Biblical story.

Editing a paper in Santa Cruz evidently requires some nerve. The new proprietor of the Penny Press says: "And they must let us be in peace if they would themselves remain in peace, for we have been driven long and hard—these fellow workmen and owners of this paper—and we can not long abide in quiet should these ghouls continue in their infamy. We are peaceable men and ask only the opportunity

THE UNEMPLOYED QUESTION.

The City Council did a commendable act last night in appropriating $499 to each of the seven wards of the city to be used in street work for the benefit of the unemployed. Two laudable objects will be reached by this action, one the betterment of the highways and the other the furnishing of needed relief to the worthy poor.

This is the proper way to handle the question of the unemployed. If each city would take care of its own unfortunates there would be no occasion for the formation of the "armies" which have become a serious danger during these past few years. Ever since Coxey devised his illy-projected plan of marching a host to Washington and there demanding a national appropriation for work, the country has been subjected to similar organizations started on a more or less larger scale. The utter failure of Coxey's scheme has not acted as a detriment and the prime reason for this is easily found—the majority of the men in these "armies" consist of professional loafers and vagabonds. Nothing could suit these Bendouins of civilization better than to have an alleged organization in existence, for under the protecting title of labor, they are able to roam about the country with comparative immunity from arrest and are furthermore fed, and in many cases furnished with transportation by citizens who are only too glad to keep them on the move and get them out of town. The last two Legislatures have endeavored to check this sort of thing by framing laws preventing the formation of bands of more than three people to search for work in such a manner but the proposed enactments have always fallen through in consequence of a fear on the part of the more timorous and politically ambitious members, of doing anything that might be considered, even remotely, as antagonistic to labor.

It can readily be seen therefore how dangerous it is to commence a movement that will attract to our city the horde of professional mendicants who only want an excuse for putting in an appearance. Once let it be known that Oakland intends furnishing work by the wholesale for the unemployed and the city will become the mecca for every vagrant of California, though, of course there will be considerable wheat among so much chaff. The plan devised by the Council is far better. Each ward will have its own appropriation, can repair its own streets and give the work to its own poor. The members of the Board of Public Works to whom are entrusted the expenditure of the money, should see to it that the labor is apportioned in this manner as far as possible, for only in such a way can the proper results be attained.

THE LESSON OF THE FIRE.

The heavy losses sustained by the fire yesterday afternoon need never have resulted had the disaster not been subjected to a series of blunders. In the first place there was a delay in turning in the alarm that is inexcusable. Several minutes elapsed before the department was notified and this too, in spite of the fact that nearly every house in that part of town has a telephone, and furthermore that fire alarm boxes were near at hand.

The arrival of the engines though did not set matters straight. There is considerable adverse criticism over the fact that instead of allowing the flaming barns to be destroyed either by being burned or torn down the firemen should have devoted their energies to trying to save them instead of turning all their attention to the preservation of the houses. There must, of course, be considered the unfortunate circumstance of the bursting of the hose which is liable to occur at any time, but even allowing for this no one will question the statement that the fire was poorly managed. A notable example of the lack of system is that one of the engines arrived on the scene without any coal and had to borrow some from an adjoining residence before it could go on with its work.

It is poor consolation to the insurance companies on whom the losses fall and to the tax payers of Oakland who support the department and who expect protection in return to have excuses made for this sort of thing. There should be no occasion for any excuse and none should be taken.

Los Angeles has heard that Oakland may ultimately consist of this city, Alameda, Berkeley and other territory and she is getting alarmed. The southern city recently conducted a private census and declares that she has now a population of 102,000. The Herald says: "If Oakland could annex all of Alameda and Contra Costa Counties, it might have a chance, for a time, in the race with Los Angeles. But even then, we should have Pasadena, Santa Monica and other adjacent villages to fall back upon. Oakland would do better to make up its mind to be a good third among the cities of the State."

There is no anxiety in this city on account of Los Angeles. The official census of 1890 gave Oakland 48,532 and Los Angeles 50,394 and no sane person will accept the results of the recent "census."

Riverside Populists are not unlike those of other cities. A member of that party on the Board of Supervisors down there is kicking because the new county government act has cut his allowance for mileage down to ten cents a mile and this causes the Los Angeles Times to remark that a Populist would not be true to his principles if he favored economy in the public service when it affected his own purse.

The Pomona watchman who confessed that he set fire to the Palomares Hotel at which he was employed, must have been very tired of his job.

Alameda grows slowly but surely. The census just taken shows a population of 15,551 a gain of 439 since last year.

Lavin Must Answer.

John P. Lavin, who was found guilty of stealing a set of harness from I. Nicholl of East Oakland, and who was caught with the harness by Officer McKeegan at the Oak street station, was held to answer before the Superior Court on a charge of burglary. Judge Allen fixed his bail at $1,000.

Ninety Days in Jail.

AS OTHERS SEE US.

Benjamin Hill the Oakland wife-murderer has been baptised and received into the Methodist Church and there is evident in some newspapers a disposition to scoff at the proceeding. Why should there be? If this man who stands within the shadow of the gallows can find some small consolation in the ministrations of the church why should he not have it? We need not suppose that he can at one bound leap so far into eternity that he can escape the memory of his terrible deed, but if he thinks that he can—well, let him have such comfort as there may be in the thought. The law will have its dread way with this man, but if there may be some small grain of comfort in the situation for him, let him have it.—Fresno Republican.

The San Francisco papers consider it a matter of interest to a million or so of readers that Mrs. John Martin of Oakland should don a bicycle dress and paint her house. One of the papers gives a big picture of the woman in the act, and makes her look a striking figure indeed. Mrs. Martin was first known to fame through claiming a part of the fortune of her brother-in-law, swearing that she had had other relations to him than orthodox sister-in-lawship. Then she did things more or less outre in various parts of the country, one of which was to have a prominent actor arrested in New York so that he could not appear in a prominent theater on the first night of a famous play. These facts constitute the real interest in Mrs Martin, and lend importance to her bicycle dress and her paint brush. But the whole incident shows what straits the big city papers are put to to fill their columns. Every day there is a great deal of such matter—of no sort of healthy interest, but raked up, distorted and put in, often duly illustrated, simply to fill up. Fourteen-page papers in San Francisco, while ten-page papers do in New York, naturally necessitate a great deal of frothy filling.—Alameda Argus.

As bearing on the right of the Supervisors to construct a tunnel under the estuary by virtue of the authority given them by the general law to construct roads, highways, bridges and other adjuncts to highways, it is interesting to note that the Supervisors of Alameda County have at this very moment a similar project on hand. It is proposed to connect the fertile valleys of Contra Costa County which lie beyond the hills with Oakland by means of a wagon road tunnel through those hills. The Supervisors of Contra Costa and Alameda are both discussing the matter, evidently in the full impression that they have legal authority to tunnel, bridge or get around the hills in the best manner possible. The District Attorney of neither county has yet told them that they have no authority to do this.

Thus the natural question arises, if they can tunnel the hills for a road under the general law, why cannot they tunnel the estuary for a road under the same law?—Alameda Encinal.

GRAINS OF SALT.

If the United States could get in as one of the Powers she would vote to tie Mr. G. Weyler and Mr. A. Hamid together and drop them in a well, thus disposing of two of the most cultured barbarians of modern times in one short and successful campaign.

Every time the Minneapolis Times discovers a new joke on J. J. Hill, that eminent philanthropist takes another half turn on the cable and tightens up his cinch on the Northern Pacific.

Col. Watterson need not worry; it will be a long time before this country voluntarily restores the hard times party and the soup house policy of Grover Cleveland.

Culalongkong I, King of Siam, proposes to invade the United States with a long train of servants and a large invoice of yellow ribbon just as soon as he can get around to it. He is not a laundryman, as his name might indicate.

"Lord save us from the devil and the Turk," repeats the Greek after the prayer of four centuries ago, and then adds, "but if you can only take care of the Turk we will take our chances with the other one."

Demetrius Ralli doesn't seem to be doing as much for the Greek forces as might be expected of a man with that kind of a name.

In referring to the subject of international bimetallism, the St. Louis Convention used it as the subject of the sentence, "Which we pledge ourselves to promote." Now, don't expect too much all at once.

The Louisville Courier-Journal refers to the rush of office seekers on Senator Deboe as "the charge of the pie brigade." Language fails to provide anything adequately descriptive of the tribulations of the Minnesota Senators. An artist might do it, but an artist who could would find more profitable employment for his brush.

Let the rules be suspended in order that Granville S. Pease may be nominated for Governor on the Anoka ticket.

The Brooklyn Eagle says the election of a Republican Senator in Kentucky was due to Democratic division on the money question. Yes, addition, division and silence.

This is the year of Cabot celebrations. John Cabot having sailed May 3, 1497, from Bristol, England, in the ship Matthew on the voyage during which he discovered the continent of North America. Though he was a Genoese by birth, and a Venetian by adoption, his crew of eighteen men were all Englishmen but two, a Burgundian and an Italian barber. The Royal Geographical Society of England has celebrated the anniversary by listening to a paper on Cabot by Sir Clements Markham, its president. The Royal Society of Canada will, in June, place a Cabot tablet in the Legislative Hall at Halifax. The Newfoundland Cabot committee will erect an observatory at St. John's and improve the signal station there.

Embassador Hay speaks five languages—including English, notwithstanding his poetry.—Chicago Times-Herald.

ALONG THE COAST.

According to the opinion of the United States Pomologist, the California pomelo is a prospective gold mine for enterprising orchardists who choose to cultivate this valuable fruit.

As was to be expected, the action of the Riverside County Supervisors in discontinuing the county's exhibit at the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, is condemned by the press of Riverside and many of the enterprising people of that city. The Supervisors will not gain anything by this penny-wise pound-foolish policy.

The Ventura papers are having fantods because their local officers were not "starred" in accounts of the arrest of McCamish for the murder of Constable Pyle. It appears that the evidence against McCamish was found in his room by Sheriff Charlebois, a fact that was not made known in the item about the arrest that was given to Los Angeles papers.

San Bernardino pedagogues have shown their utter unselfishness by consenting to the abrogation of contracts for four years' employment entered into by them with a former school board. The new Board of Education should do the handsome thing now by re-employing the present corps of teachers, unless the best of reasons for removal should appear.

The seven bad boys who gave the new management at the Whittier State School such a shock by going off on a nocturnal excursion, have been recaptured, but rumor says all is not yet serene at the institution. Jim Budd's trustees will meet tomorrow to fix the responsibility for the escape, and, incidentally, to accept a few more resignations of old employes to make room for novices.

It is to be hoped that the Board of Supervisors of Riverside County will see their way clear to rescind the order for the withdrawal of the Riverside exhibit from the Chamber of Commerce. The order was made on the score of economy. but it seems a false economy to put Riverside out of the running for such excellent advertisement, and to give her the record of being the first of the seven southern counties to withdraw from the race on account of poverty.

FACTS AND FANCIES.

The King of Siam has decided not to visit America this summer, and society flutters with mingled sorrow and satisfaction. His visit would be an honor, but England's experience with Oriental royalties has been discouraging.

If Georgia's gold mine boom doesn't build up the State, she may as well give it up as a bad job.

Our next naval war will teach this country more about coaling stations in a week than it has been able to learn in the last generation.

So far May has been a very good—which means a very bad—imitation of April.

Before we censure the Legislature too freely for its slowness in passing bills, let us consider well what might happen if the legislators were paid by the job, instead of by the day—so much for every law enacted. What an amount of bad legislation our present system saves us from.

The doubt whether Mr. Dingley will recognize his bill when it comes from the Senate continues to grow and increase.

Of course that Chicago bank was wrecked by a woman. But recent developments show that if there had been no woman within reach of its susceptible president, the bank might just as well have been wrecked by fast horses.

Adlai Stevenson appears to be entirely free from any suspicion that he is figuring on another term.

If General Miles doesn't get started for the seat of war pretty soon, he will scarcely get there in time to write a history of the struggle.

Kentucky might not be able to get up much of a National Exhibition, but her moonshine distilleries, toll-gate raiders, Ku Klux patrollers, lynching bees and other divertisements of the same kind would make a highly vivacious Midway Plaisance.

WHAT TO DO WITH TRAMPS

The tramp question is a serious and an expensive one. The law abiding, tax paying citizens of the country are compelled to support a large army of tramps. This class, as a rule, would prefer idleness to work, while in exceptional cases there are tramps to be found who would work if they could get a chance.

These tramps beg upon the street and go about the city and the country from house to house asking for food and getting it. Frequently they commit depredations on property and occasionally attacks on life, as witness the attack made on a defenseless woman at Ontario only a few days since.

While the Government in one way or another, or the people who form the Government, is taxed regularly or irregularly to support this class of idlers, ought not some systematic way to be provided for their support that will distribute the burden more evenly and give greater protection to life and property?

The late Legislative session passed a law providing that persons having no visible means of support should be put to work on the highways, but the Governor, for some reason, saw fit to veto the bill, and it did not become a law. Perhaps the bill was not as carefully drawn as it ought to have been. Perhaps this was not just the way to get at the matter. The idea of compelling this class of people to work for the public good while the public are contributing to their support seems to be a good one, and the law making power should follow up this line of thought until something practical is developed.

It has been suggested—and the suggestion has great force—that the United States might enlarge its army and navy, and that all persons found who have no visible means of support, or who have no real good excuse for living, should be placed for a number of years in either one branch of the public service or the other, and that the army in times of peace should be set to work constructing good wagon roads throughout the various States of the Union. All the great military reservations of the country have the very best of roads to be found anywhere. They are not only carefully graded, but they are macadamised. They are built by the army. Why could not the army be increased and the work increased also, and the benefits of this system be extended to the general public, instead of being confined to the reservations? There are plenty of places for them. By enlarging the army, positions could be given to all the graduates of West Point as soon as the cadets get through with their course of study and training.

It costs no more to support an organized army that it does a disorganized mob.

It is not the intention to include in this programme the large numbers of enforced idlers who are ready to work but who cannot get it because of the depressed condition of business, but only that professional class of drones who never seek for labor with the hope of finding it.

Five years of service in the army would teach this class lessons of industry and would do them great good, while at the same time it would protect the law abiding, tax paying citizens, who are entitled to protection for themselves and their families.—Los Angeles Herald.

NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS.

Growth of the Idea That Came to the Man Who Started the First Bureau.

This idea with millions in it came first to a man who faced in his next week a disagreeable potentiality of hunger. The potentiality would become a certainty unless before he exhausted the remains of his last coin just broken, he had hit upon something whereby to earn other coins. It was in Paris, just about the time of the Salon's opening. The man in hard luck sat a bit over his food, watching between mouthfuls the stream of breakfasters, who ate briskly, with the air of men who knew what they meant to do afterward.

The man watching wished himself in like ease. Naturally his mind was alert. He noted every detail—this one's walk and that one's nod, the set of another's coat, and the scowl which went along with the tip of still another. That is how it happened that the man and the minute men met to evolve the idea. Less alert he would not have noticed that a certain artist, after he had eaten, walked up to the dame du comptoir and received from her a handful of papers of the day before, each containing a reference to the artist's picture in the Salon. The artist paid for them liberally—at least ten times the original cost, and murmured thanks besides to madame for her thought and trouble in the matter. Then he went away. The idea, though, remained. A new business had been born into a busy world.

"This man has paid for a handful of papers that mention him. There are other papers—other men, too. Perhaps they will do likewise. At any rate it is worth trying," the man in search of a vocation said to himself. Then he paid for his breakfast, adding a tip "for luck," and scurried off to make the round of the studios. It is needless to particularize further. The clippings bureaus had their beginning in just this haphazard fashion.

The scheme took like wildfire. Soon the man had a complete establishment in Paris, another in London, and a third in New York. As he could not protect it by letters patent, of course the bureaus increased and multiplied. Now the whole world is their parish—even outlying regions like Cape Town, in South Africa, and Melbourne, Australia, can boast them in plenty. As for Europe, India, and these United States they are blotched and spattered with them. Nor is that the whole extent of the idea's growth. The railways and express companies have taken it home to themselves. Once they were among the steadiest and best paying patrons of the regular bureaus. Now they have learned a trick worth two of that. It is to collect, preserve, and classify clippings for themselves. Their agents all over the country have orders to preserve and send to headquarters everything touching their own line, or railway matters in general, which appears in the local papers. The clippings are tabulated and put into books, duly indexed at the city offices, where other clerks are kept busy collating and running down railway items in the big city sheets. Often the scrap books have proved of great value in damage cases. With the express companies it is much the same.

Outside this great branch is now computed that the business of furnishing newspaper clippings employs a capital aggregating fifteen million dollars and gives employment to something like thirty thousand people. Pretty substantial fruit that for an insubstantial idea. Nor is it, as a cynic might declare, wholly a harvest of vanity. It gives one a new and vivid comprehension of the enormous reach and tremendous range of the press to glance over the book of latest orders in a well established bureau. Here a man wants everything about the X rays. Below him a financier is down for Nicaragua and Panama canal matters. In the next column XYZ wants reports of divorce cases everywhere, and right underneath an anonymous person is eager in southern outrages. Matter on spiritualism is another order, the North Pole another, and electric inventions a third. Several people want South African clippings. There are Cuban orders, too, not to name a dozen or more upon all manners of religious topics. This wholly aside from the personal touch which gave the bureaus their first success. Still a large part of their business comes from those who would please the public—actors, artists, the makers of books, particularly poets.

As the shadow of a great rock in a weary land, so is the obituary habit of men of clippings. Thence come some of their fattest jobs. About any man of moderate prominence they are reasonably sure of gathering from five hundred to a thousand clippings. There is a sort of corelation among certain of the bureaus, which enables them to get whatever it is printed anywhere on the globe within a very brief space. Prominent men are nearly always amongst clippings bureau subscribers. If they are not, either the grief, or the joy of those they leave behind, suffices to insure a market for the mortuary harvest. Perhaps the biggest collection of such things ever begun was that relating to the late Jay Gould. His heirs ordered "everything," but withdrew the orders when, within the space of three weeks, the enterprising bureau man had corralled eleven thousand odd. Even that number was exceeded in the case of George W. Childs, whose widow gave a clipping man a similar order. The end of the clippings was a set of scrap books. Each bit of print, great or small, was pasted accurately in the middle of a great square of grayish Bristol board, and then the boards were bound into big volumes, covered in black morocco, and lettered in gold upon the backs, "In Memory of George W. Childs." There was a shelfful of volumes. The cost of making them went way up in the thousands.

Social struggles are another fruitful field. People on the fringe, or the fringe of the fringe, feel their footing ever so much more secure when they are mentioned in cold print—even if the mention is a bar "also present." Further liberal patrons are schools, colleges and institutions of every sort. Then there are lawyers who want the probate of wills everywhere, lists of heirs and notices of accidents.—New York Sun.

HOSPITAL SALARIES.

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Yesterday afternoon William Walsh, through his attorney, Phil Walsh, filed a protest with the Auditor against the payment of salaries to the attaches of the hospital, until May 13th at 5 P. M. This is demanded so that sufficient time may be allowed to properly prepare an action, which shall determine the legality of the county supporting the hospital.

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Dr. Boyer's sermon at the First Church last night dealth with present day problems in religious circles. Among other things, he said:

"Churchanity exists in its most virulent form. This age is smitten with a spiritual famine and paralysis of faith. The world is blessed with too many churches. There are one hundred and forty-five churches in America and only one God in the universe. The road to heaven is blocked with churches.

"Churches are accidents. A man can go to heaven by sleeping in one as well as another. A life of fellowship with Christ is everything.

"People are staying out of the churches in order to be Christians. Too many churches are sepulchers of the past, full of dead men's bones.

"Thomas Dixon said: 'For the last twenty years, Protestantism has been a collossal failure in New York.'

"It is true of every other town from Plymouth Rock to Poker flats, from Todmos in the wilderness to Yuba dam. Dives may fare sumptuously and, when he died, a preacher may be found false enough to say 'Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord,' but that won't avail him when he finds his coattails on fire and no water within a hundred miles.

"Think of the apostle Paul preaching in a church that cost half a million, whose bell seemed to say, 'You poor devils out there come in here and be saved.' While forty thousand children are praying night and day for soup instead of salvation, for second-hand clothing instead of the robe of righteousness. The thought is blasphemous."

The subject tonight is "Antidotes for Poisons."

South African Lecture.

Seats are selling rapidly for the lecture to be given Friday evening by Henry E. Butters, the South African miner, at the First Congregational Church. The subject will be "South Africa and Its People." The lecture is given for the benefit of the Woman's Exchange and the Associated Charities.

Police Notes.

Mrs. Marie Dollman, the eccentric little Frenchwoman who is charged with stealing a lantern from J. P. Beckett, the street contractor, has secured another continuance of her case. It has gone over till June 10th.

E. A. Jones, charged with selling lottery tickets, pleaded not guilty. His trial was set for May 19th.

The Piraces Case.

The case against Charles Pipenberg and G. A. Stronach, the estuary pirates, went over till tomorrow to allow the filing of a complaint.

Bail Forfeited.

Fred Fonzo, the Fourteenth street saloon keeper, charged with selling liquor after 12 o'clock, this morning forfeited $20 bail in the Police Court.

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A HUMANE MOVE.

The Council Provides Money to Give Work to the Unemployed.

STREETS WILL BE IMPROVED.

Tim Holland Succeeds the Late Jim Hill as Watchman.

NEW ORDINANCES CONSIDERED

Many Greatly Needed Repairs in a Way to Be Effected.

The City Council at its meeting last evening took up the unemployed question and solved it, so far as the immediate relief of Oakland's unemployed citizens is concerned.

When the petition of the unemployed which was referred to the Street Committee and by it referred back to the Council was brought up, Mr. Cuvellier said that the Council was aware of the state of affairs among the unemployed.

"You are all aware," said he, "that a large number of unemployed people in this city have starvation staring them in the face. Before we were elected we were very solicitous for the working man's welfare—at least most of us were; I know I was for one, and we made pledges that, if elected, we would try to do something to relieve the distress on every hand. Now, when I wanted to put on six men as street sweepers not long ago, it was observed that there was no money in the treasury. There has been appropriated $7,000 for an engine house in the Second Ward, but the people in the Second Ward can wait for their engine house until next year, badly as it is needed. But those men with hungry wives and children cannot afford to wait. They want relief and they want it immediately. They don't ask for money, but they ask for work to earn enough money to supply bread to their families. Mr. Rowe has thought out a proposition and I think it is a good one. I would ask to hear what Mr. Rowe has to say upon the subject. The petition of the unemployed must have touched the heart of every councilman who read it."

MR. ROWE TALKS.

Mr. Rowe said that $7,500 had been appropriated for a new engine house and $25,000 had been appropriated to build a new street of East Twelfth street.

"As a question of law," said he, "that work cannot be done before July 1st, when we must pass a resolution putting all money back into the general fund. It will be necessary to pass new ordinances after the 1st of July, re-appropriating the money. That being true, I say it is wrong to leave over $30,000 tied up when men are begging for a chance to work. Just the other day a man sent his little boy to me begging in the name of God and of humanity for me to find something for him to do. I can count in this Council chamber tonight a dozen men who are begging for a chance to earn the necessary money to buy their daily bread, to buy bread to take home to their starving families. I believe we may take this money and rob no one, but improve our streets that need improvement very much. There are great chuck holes in our side streets that need improving, and we can improve our city by improving our streets, and give at the same time, employment to the unemployed. My people of the Seventh Ward may say to me: 'Rowe, you had no business to take that money.' But I am willing to face every man in the ward. I tell you when it comes down to a matter of starvation it is time to act. When the time comes after the 1st of July to re-appropriate that money I pledge you now that I will vote for those appropriations."

MR. GIRARD AGREES.

"I agree with every word these gentlemen have said," said Mr. Girard. "I am from the Second Ward, where the new engine house is to be built, but I think it right to forego that for the present, when there are 100 families in my ward who are nearly starving. If the Council will pledge itself to vote for the re-appropriation after July 1st, I will be willing to vote to give this $7,500 to the unemployed. I think, though, that the work should be divided between the wards."

Mr. Upton agreed with all that had been said.

As each gentleman resumed his seat he was greeted with applause from the well-filled lobby.

The following resolutions were then introduced by Mr. Rowe and passed unanimously:

GRANTING AID.

"Whereas, There are now in the City of Oakland hundreds of worthy citizens with families dependent upon them for the necessaries of life; and

"Whereas, The streets of Oakland are in a most deplorable condition and are becoming worse each day for want of slight repairs; and,

Whereas, It is but an act of justice that all worthy unfortunate citizens be given an opportunity to earn their daily bread; therefore be it

"Resolved, That the sum of $499 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money now in the general fund of the City of Oakland for the purpose of filling chuck holes and repairing the streets in the —— Ward of this city, and the Board of Public Works is hereby instructed to expend said money for giving employment to the needy unemployed citizens of said —— Ward."

A similar resolution was passed for each ward.

CITY HALL WATCHMAN.

Another matter of importance which came up before the meeting was the selection of a night watchman and assistant janitor of the City Hall to succeed the late James Hill.

Mr. Watkinson nominated Tim J. Holland for the position.

Mr. Rowe withdrew the application of T. M. Fortier on the ground that there was another old soldier in the contest.

Mr. Fibush seconded Holland's nomination.

Mr. Rowe nominated J. W. Swain and the nomination was seconded by Mr. Cuvellier.

The applications of W. E. Wallace, J. E. Sturgeon, George Deal and H. F. Larrabee were read by acting City Clerk Holland.

Mr. Earl nominated E. P. Ericson.

Mr. Fibush moved that the nominations be closed and it took two votes Henneberry, Watkinson, President Pringle—3.

For Swain—Cuvellier, Girard, Rowe, Upton—4.

For Ericson—Earl—1.

Absent—Brosnahan—1.

A second vote was ordered and Mr. Earl changed his vote from Ericson to Holland. Mr. Holland was therefore declared elected. A resolution to that effect was adopted unanimously.

DOESN'T AFFECT OAKLAND.

The following communication was then read from the City Attorney:

"On March 27, 1897, a general law was enacted requiring certain ordinances and resolutions passed by the legislative body of any municipality to be presented to the Mayor of such municipality for his approval or rejection and I am this day in receipt of a request from your honorable body for an opinion concerning the applicability of said law to ordinances and resolutions passed by the Council of the city of Oakland.

"Prior to November 3d, 1896, section 6 of article XI of the consitution of the State of California provided that 'cities and towns heretofore or hereafter organized, and all charters thereof framed or adopted by authority of this constitution shall be subject to and controlled by general laws.'

"On the last mentioned date the said constitutional provision was amended by inserting therein the phrase, 'except in municipal affairs,' thus relieving cities organized under charters granted by authority of the constitution from the operation of general laws in all matters essentially municipal in character.

"It will be noticed that the said act of March 27, 1897, relates exclusively to a municipal affair, inasmuch as it provides the procedure to be observed by municipalities in the enactment and adoption of certain ordinances and resolutions.

"I am, therefore, of the opinion that as to the method of adopting ordinances and resolutions the charter of the city of Oakland prevails as against a general law on that subject and that the act in question is not applicable to ordinances or resolutions passed by your honorable body."

ORDINANCES.

The ordinance requiring the separation of garbage from ashes was passed, Messrs. Heitmann, Watkinson and Brosnahan being absent.

The ordinance establishing the width of East Twenty-first street at eighteen feet was also passed.

The ordinance relating to the specification of streets with the amendment suggested by the City Engineer and recommended by the Street Committee was passed to print for five days.

The ordinance repealing the ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids for the Twenty-fifth street engine house was passed to print.

Coroner Baldwin's recommendation that an ordinance be passed prohibiting the bathing in Lake Merritt was referred to the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee. With the recommendation was enclosed a copy of the jury's verdict in the case of little Emil Nusbaumer, Jr., and his companion Hall.

MINORS THREATENED.

Mr. Fibush signified his intention of introducing an ordinance prohibiting minors from either sailing or rowing on the lake unaccompanied, providing that the City Attorney considered such an ordinance legal.

A communication was received from Adrain A. Williamson, protesting against Contractor Easton's slowness in getting to work on East Twenty-first street, between Nineteenth and Twenty-third avenues.

Other communications were received as follows:

From S. Cohen et al., to sidewalk Twenty-eighth street between Adeline and Magnolia by private contract. Street.

From L. W. Kennedy, reporting that brick was being taken from the Twenty-fifth street engine house. Street.

The following liquor license bonds were referred to the License Committee; Eiben and Nor; Morris and Strauss, 1072 Broadway; C. Fischer, 1148 East Fourteenth street; John Winter, and C. Netshe, 470 Twelfth street.

The claim of W. P. Ainsworth for $26.62, H. W. Brown for $75, W. J. Henderson for $75 and William Knapp for $75 for work done in the Treasurer's office were referred to the Auditing and Finance Committee.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were considered and referred:

Directing the City Engineer to prepare a resolution of intention for the opening of Tenth avenue between East Twenty-second and Twenty-eighth streets and East Twenty-eighth where not already opened.

Of intention to grade, curb and macadamize Chetwood street, from Moss avenue to Perry street. Indefinitely postponed.

Granting permission to cut down oak tree on Seventh avenue and East Eleventh street. Laid over till next meeting.

Directing City Engineer to establish grade on East Eighteenth from Fourth avenue to Boulevard. Adopted.

Directing the Superintendent of Streets to notify property owners to construct sidewalks on Pine street, between Taylor and Chase within fifteen days.

Of intention to grade, curb and macadamize Cedar street from Seventh street to right of way of the C. P. R. R. Adopted.

Directing Superintendent of Streets to notify property owners to sidewalk East Twenty-first street and Twenty-fourth avenue, and East Twenty-second from Twenty-fourth avenue to the city line. Adopted.

Granting property owners permission to sidewalk Kirkham from Fourteenth to Fifteenth by private contract. Adopted.

Authorizing the City Attorney to secure a certificate of search for that parcel of land included between the easterly and westerly lines of Third avenue, projecting northerly from the northerly line of East Sixteenth street to the southerly line of East Eighteenth street, at an expense of $10.

Directing the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners to place an alarm box at Isabella street and San Pablo avenue. Adopted.

Denying the petition of H. W. Martin et al. to change the water in Clinton Park. Adopted.

Authorizing the City Attorney to enter an appearance in behalf of the city of Oakland in the case entitled Edson F. Adams et al. vs. The City of Oakland. Adopted.

Fixing Monday evening, May 24th, to hear the objections of F. F. Werner et al. against changing the grade of Fourth avenue between East Eighteenth and Newton avenue. Adopted.

Granting permission to property owners to sidewalk by private contract Linden street from Eighteenth to Twenty-first street. Adopted.

Fixing Health officer's bond at $2,000. Adopted.

Directing City Attorney to procure a certificate of search of Chase street from Wood to the bay of San Francisco. Adopted.

Directing the City Engineer to do necessary work to establish the curb grades on Moss avenue from Oakland avenue to Lake avenue and on Bella Vista avenue from Moss to Lake avenues. Street.

Directing the City Attorney and City Engineer to prepare a resolution of intention to curb and extend Seventh street from Market to West. Street.

Directing the City Engineer to prepare resolution of intention to re-grade Fourth street from Market to Peralta. Street.

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Directing the City Engineer to supply map for City Clerk.

Directing Sunperintendent of Streets to notify property owners to sidewalk Chester street from Fifth to Seventh.

Of intention to re-macadamize Eighth from Franklin to Eighth street bridge. Street.

Of intention to re-macadamize Twelfth street, from Clay to Market. Street.

Of intention to re-macadamize, Fifteenth street from Broadway to Franklin. Street.

Directing the City Attorney to dismiss the appeal pending in the Supreme Court in the case of George Taylor vs. F. K. Mott et al.

Of intention to re-macadamize Seventeenth from Clay to Grove.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Baker, Miss Irene Baker, and C. Elmore Leflingwell will leave Honolulu for home on the steamer Australia.

Mrs. S. G. Hilborn and Miss Grace Hilborn, wife and daughter of Congressman Hilborn, may spend the summer in Oakland. They are at present at Washington, D. C.

Miss Marguerite Fay of Sacramento is visiting in Alameda.

Rev. C. T. M. Allen is in Sacramento.

Mrs. J. Kimball is the guest of her son, Charles Kimball, of Los Gatos.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Evans went to Santa Cruz last week.

A. F. McDonald has been spending a few days at Santa Cruz.

Miss Jessie Mott and the Misses Helen and Alice Weinstock of Sacramento have been spending a few days in this city.

Ed. Taylor of Alameda is spending a few days at Los Gatos as the guest of Dr. and Mrs. P. P. Gober.

W. P. Prindle went to Highland Springs today for a two weeks' vacation.

A. A. Fink of Berkeley is in Napa.

Mrs. W. K. Gedge has returned to Vallejo from a visit in Berkeley.

Charles Deming and Miss Deming are visiting in Palo Alto.

A. Larsen of West Berkeley has returned after a years' absence at Spokane Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clough of Sacramento are spending a few days with Mrs. Clough's son, A. E. Brackett of Lorin.

Dr. A. C. Lane, Director of Experiment Station at Washington, arrived in Berkeley yesterday, and is the guest of Professor E. W. Hilgard of the Agricultural College.

George W. Arbuckle will speak before the Alameda Bimetallic League Friday evening.

Mrs. Mandler of Alameda, accompanied by her daughter and son left for a three months' vacation in Los Gatos yesterday.

Miss Barbour of this city is in Santa Maria in the interest of the W. C. T. U. Sunday morning she preached in the Methodist Church and in the evening at the Presbyterian Church of that city.

Professor Frank Dunn has succeeded Professor Blackledge as principal of the Peralta University Academy.

Mrs. T. Hunan is the guest of Mrs. Woodruff of Ontario.

Miss Hohn has been spending a week with Miss Mattie Holbrook of Ontario.

S. Wormser and Mrs. Stateler of Fresno will visit Alameda this week.

Miss Daisy Hinckley, a student at the State University has returned to her home in Fresno for her vacation.

Dr. C. L. Tisdale, George T. Wright and the Landsbergers, of Alameda are spending two weeks at Catalina Island.

Senator Eli S. Denison is in Sacramento.

C. S. Shafer and E. M. Whalley of Alameda are spending their vacation in Mendocino County.

Mrs. R. G. Aitken, wife of Professor Aitken of Lick Observatory, is visiting her father, Mayor W. R. Thomas.

T. M. Crawford, Ex-Clerk of the Police Court, has returned from a visit to Red Bluff.

MISS WILLIAMS' OPENING.

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EMERYVILLE TRUSTEES.

Oakland's Fire Department Is Thanked for Timely Assistance.

At their regular meeting last night, the Emeryville Board of Trustees adopted resolutions thanking the Oakland Fire Department for their assistance at the fire, which recently occurred near the Emeryville school.

In the matter of the opening of Sixth street the committee asked for two weeks' further time. It was decided to expend $99 for a map showing the grades and elevations of the different streets.

It was reported by the Town Attorney that notice had been received of the Supervisors' intention to refund to the town half of the liquor licenses, the amount being $315.24.

Pure spices, 15c per pound at the New York Tea Co., 459 Broadway, near Seventh St. Tel. Black 3653.

Accidental Overdose.

As a result of the inquest over the body of Mrs. Olive L. Speddy of Alameda, who was found dead Sunday last with a bottle of chloroform by her head, the Coroner's jury returned a verdict of death by an accidental over-dose of chloroform.

CASTORIA

THE COUNTY BOARD.

Considerable Business Done at the Meeting of the Supervisors.

THE OPENING OF ROADS.

Utilizing Funds by Means of Transfers Under the Law.

THE SPRINKLING OF ROADS.

Certain Matters Held Over Pending the Vote on Annexation.

At 2 o'clock yesterday the meeting of the Supervisors was resumed, Supervisor Wells in the chair.

The first matter that came up was the question of accepting a verbal report instead of a written one of Supervisor Mitchell for the Committee on Improvement of the Auditor's Office.

The appeal from the chair was sustained, and a motion was made to accept the verbal report.

Resolutions passed to instruct Supervisor Wells, as Road Commissioner of Centerville Road District, to expend $175 for watering pumps.

The resolution carried to make sidewalks on Peralta street conform to a uniform width of 10 feet. The rest of the petition relating to grading was denied.

The resolution by Supervisor Talcott regarding the grading of High street was adopted.

Supervisor Talcott introduced a resolution to build a new culvert at a bridge on Fruitvale road.

A motion was made by Supervisor Talcott to put new boilers in the Infirmary, owing to the poor condition of the present boilers. The motion prevailed.

A communication from District Attorney Snook recommended the appointment of a bookkeeper in the Auditor's office, as required by law.

A resolution to appoint E. L. Johnson to this position at a salary of $100 per month was adopted.

A motion to put new shelves in the law library, at a cost of about $300 was carried.

A petition to fix up the crossing at Tevis street over the Southern Pacific tracks was laid over.

On the recommendation of the District Attorney, the petition for annexation of territory outlying the school district of Emeryville proper was referred back to the petitioners, as the proper signatures had not been secured.

Referring to the keeping of insane people temporarily in jail, District Attorney Snook read letters from the secretary of the State Lunacy Commission to the effect that the Sheriff may arrest a patient, but he cannot retain him in prison, or any place where he can come in contact with people charged with crime. The County Hospital is the only place where the law can detain an insane person.

The matter was referred to the Hospital Committee.

On motion of Supervisor Roeth, the petition for the appointment of three Trustees for Piedmont Road District was taken from the table.

District Attorney Snook said that until after the new law goes in force, June 1st, the appointment of Trustees should not be considered.

The matter was again laid on the table.

The Board then adjourned to May 17th at 10:30 o'clock.

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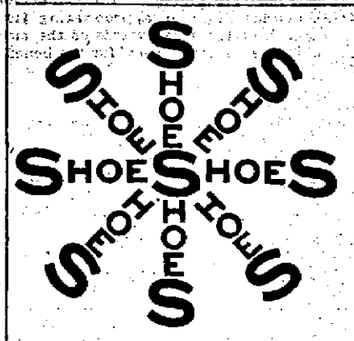

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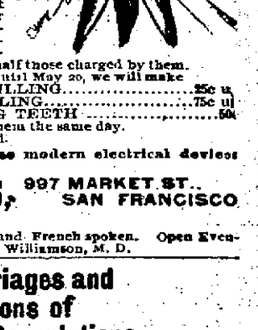

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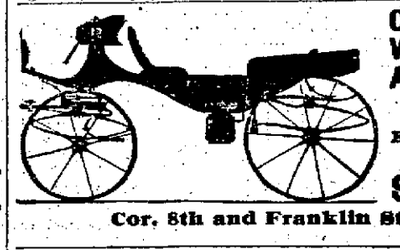

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After Dinner Coffee	Each 9 cts
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Cups and Saucers	Each 10 cts
Coffee Cups and Saucers	Each 12 cts
Salad Dish, 6-inch	Each 13 cts
Meat Platters, 8-inch	Each 13 cts
Salad Dish, 7-inch	Each 17 cts
Salad Dish, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Vegetable Dish, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Meat Platters, 10-inch	Each 25 cts
Milk Pitcher	Each 36 cts
Salad Dish, 9-inch	Each 36 cts
Meat Platters, 12-inch	Each 45 cts
Large Water Pitcher	Each 50 cts
Meat Platters, 14-inch	Each 60 cts

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Wind Flower Spray Decoration, Gold Handles and Trimmings.

Plates, Breakfast	Each 7 cts
Plates, Dinner	Each 8 cts
Cups and Saucers	Each 10 cts
Bowls, Table	Each 10 cts
Salad Dish, 6-inch	Each 13 cts
Salad Dish, 7-inch	Each 17 cts
Vegetable Dish, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Salad Dish, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Milk Pitcher	Each 35 cts
Salad Dish, 9-inch	Each 35 cts
Salad Dish, 10-inch	Each 42 cts
Butter Dish	Each 45 cts
Water Pitcher	Each 45 cts

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Fruit Saucers	Each 5 cts
Plates, Tea	Each 7 cts
Custards	Each 8 cts
Bone Plates	Each 8 cts
Plates, Breakfast	Each 8 cts
After Dinner Coffees	Each 10 cts
Plates, Dinner	Each 10 cts
Bowls, Table	Each 12 cts
Cups and Saucers	Each 12 cts
Coffee Cups and Saucers	Each 12 cts
Salad Dish, 6-inch	Each 15 cts
Vegetable Dishes, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Salad Dish, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Milk Pitcher	Each 35 cts
Meat Platter, 12-inch	Each 47 cts
Butter and Cover	Each 50 cts
Water Pitcher	Each 50 cts
Meat Platter, 14-inch	Each 72 cts
Soup Tureen	Each $1.00

Azalia Decoration.

Plates, Breakfast	Each 5 cts
Butter Dish and Cover	Each 35 cts
Soup Tureens	Each 75 cts

Yellow Earthenware.

Pie Plates, medium	Each 5 cts
Bowls, medium	Each 5 cts
Pie Plates, large	Each 8 cts
Nappies, large	Each 10 cts
Bowls, large	Each 15 cts

Decorated Earthenware.

Cuspidors, assorted colors	Each 15 cts
Cuspidores, new glaze	Each 20 cts
Majolica Cuspidores	Each 25 cts
Jardinieres	Each 35 cts

Jardinieres and Flower Pots.

Jardinieres, maple, 4-inch	Each 25 cts
Jardinieres, maple, 6-inch	Each 50 cts
Jardinieres, maple, 9-inch	Each $1.50

Glassware.

Tumblers	Each 2½ cts
Bud Vases	Each 5 cts
Lemonade Cups	Each 5 cts
Handled Olive Dishes	Each 6 cts
Spoon Trays	Each 7 cts
Bouquet Holders	Each 10 cts
Water Pitcher	Each 25 cts
Tea Set	Set 25 cts

Bohemian Chinaware.
Very Pretty Decoration.

Toothpick Holder	Each 9 cts
Cream Pitcher	Each 5 cts
After Dinner Cup and Saucer	Each 8 cts
Cream Pitcher	Each 8 cts
Tea Pot Stands	Each 10 cts
Mugs	Each 10 cts
Cup, Saucer and Plate	Set 12 cts
Cup and Saucer	Each 15 cts
Cup and Saucer	Each 15 cts
Candlestick	Each 15 cts
Sugar and Cream Set	Set 15 cts
After Dinner Cup and Saucer	Each 15 cts
Butter Dish	Each 25 cts
Sugar and Cream Set	Each 25 cts
Cup, Saucer and Plate	Set 25 cts
Cuspidores	Each 28 cts
Nut Bowl	Each 25 cts
Cuspidores	Each 25 cts
Cup and Saucer	Each 35 cts
Cup and Saucer, moustache	Each 35 cts
Cuspidores	Each 40 cts
Chocolate Pot	Each 55 cts
Cuspidores	Each 55 cts
Cabarats	Each 60 cts
Tea Set	Set 80 cts
Toy Tea Sets	Set 85 cts
Tea Set	Set 90 cts
Cabarats	Each 96 cts
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Genuine Delft China.

Toothpick Holders	Each 10 cts
Mugs	Each 12 cts
Pin Trays	Each 12 cts
Ash Trays, assorted	Each 13 cts
Jewel Trays	Each 13 cts
Olive Trays, assorted	Each 20 cts
Cream Pitcher	Each 28 cts
Cups and Saucers	Each 28 cts
Plates, Dessert	Each 28 cts
Plates, Tea	Each 32 cts
Ink Wells, assorted	Each 36 cts
Placques	Each 85 cts
Cups and Saucers	Each 38 cts
Plates, Breakfast	Each 38 cts
Plates, Cake	Each 62 cts
Placques	Each 65 cts

Fancy Bisque Ware.

Novelties	Each 12 cts
Candlesticks	Each 14 cts
Flower Vases	Each 35 cts
Statuary	Each 62 cts
Flower Vases	Each 65 cts

Bohemian Glass.

Cruet or Oil Bottles	Each 14 cts
Violet or Rose Holders	Each 16 cts
Rose Bowls, satin	Each 37 cts
Liquor Sets	Set 65 cts

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Tea Spoons, tin, set of 6	8 cts
Tea Spoons, tin, set of 6	15 cts
Table Spoons, set of 6	25 cts
Carving Set	25 cts
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Wind Flower, Gold Trimmings	Set $3.50
Gold Illuminated, Gold Trimmings	Set $3.75
Bijou, Bell Flower	Set $4.25
Gold Medallion	Set $4.25
The China, Apple Blossom	Set $5.25

Dinner Set, 60 Pieces.
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Harvest, Plain Spray	Set $4.75
Eola, Wild Flower, Gold Trimmings	Set $5.50
Gold Enamel, Gold Trimmings	Set $5.75
Wind Flower, Gold Trimmings	Set $6.75
Gold Illuminated, Gold Trimmings	Set $6.25
Bijou, Bell Flower, Gold Trimmings	Set $7.15
Gold Medallion, Gold Trimmings	Set $7.15
The China, Apple Blossom, Gold Trimmings	Set $7.50

Dinner Set, 100 Pieces.
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Gold Enamel, Gold Trimmings	Set $8.50
Wind Flower, Gold Trimmings	Set $8.50
Eola, Wild Flower, Gold Trimmings	Set $8.50
Gold Illuminated, Gold Trimmings	Set $9.25
Bijou, Bell Flower, Gold Trimmings	Set $9.50
Gold Medallion, Gold Trimmings	Set $9.50
The China, Apple Blossom, Gold Trimmings	Set $9.98

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Harvest, Plain Spray, Soup Tureen	Each 95 cts
Eola, Wild Flower, Soup Tureen	Each $1.33
Gold Medallion Soup Tureen	Each $1.50
Bijou, Bell Flower, Soup Tureen	Each $1.62
The China, Apple Blossom, Soup Tureen	Each $1.80

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The Subject of Heredity Is Discussed by Mrs. Gardener.

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The Effect on Individuals of the Accident of Environment.

HOW TO IMPROVE THE RACE.

A Scholarly Effort Which Was Heard With Great Interest.

The address of Mrs. Helen Gardner delivered last evening at the Unitarian Church was listened to by an enthusiastic audience.

The subject chosen was "Can Heredity Be Modified?" and the speaker handled the subject well, considering the question mainly from a scientific standpoint.

On the platform the following prominent leaders of the recent Woman's Congress were noticed: Mrs. John Swift, president of the Congress; Mrs. Lovell White, vice-president; Mrs. Austin Sperry, Mrs. Ada Van Pelt, Mrs. Dr. Knox, Mrs. Dr. Shuey and Mrs. Perkins of Arizona.

Following the introduction by the president Mrs. Gardner began.

"I was asked," she said, "to take this topic on account of the sentiment which grew out of my recent address on heredity, that heredity was inevitable in its results."

The question which the speaker aimed to answer was whether acquired character is transmitted by parents to children. She maintained that no school of science questions the fact of the existence of heredity,—but that nearly all differed as to the manner of heredity. The drunkard may not beget a drunkard but the weakness of the father shows in some form or other in the child. This is the vital point, and the exact form of the inheritance is the study of the scientist.

SCHOOLS OF SCIENTISTS.

The different schools of scientists were then digested and the speaker concluded that the outcome of all these controversies did not effect her in the least. It was not the manner but the fact of the transmission that claimed our attention

Mrs. Gardner then told of personal investigation among the doctors of the East on the subject of transmission of disease from the parent to the child. The result of such investigations both among doctors and in the hospitals had shown beyond doubt that such a transmission was inevitable. The speaker did not maintain that this was the fact in all cases, nor in cases of local attention, such as the cutting off of a leg or arm in the parent, but maintained that in a sufficient number of cases to want a conclusion, a defect of the constitutional condition of the parents was visible in some form in the child. This constitutional defect in the parent was not always inherited, it was often acquired. As an instance Mrs. Gardner cited experiments with animals which it had been shown that artificially induced epilepsy has resulted in a long line of epileptic descendents. The idea of heredity was not new. It was older than the words "the sins of the father shall be visited upon the children even unto the third and fourth generations"

RACIAL HEREDITY.

The speaker then touched upon racial heredity, showing how certain was its results, (that the negro be born of the negro, etc., and claimed that family heredity was just as certain.

Then came the question of heredity as the sole ruler of our lives. Said Mrs. Gardner, "Heredity is not the whole study any more than the foundation is the whole house."

There is no fatalism in heredity. Environment has all to do with the development of inherited tendencies They are dependent upon growth and the conditions surrounding this growth determine the outcome. "Because you come of a consumptive race must you buy a coffin plate and succumb tomorrow?" Not in the least, that might be checked.

The selection of physical inheritances were merely taken as examples which might be more easily understood than mental and moral inheritances. In considering the moral tendencies the speaker contended that the offspring of those who dwell in luxury were really the least liable to be free from defects. The life of the modern young man in easy circumstances did not tend to a high moral heritance for his offspring. And yet man was no more to blame than woman; it was the result of artificial conditions.

"I do not believe," she said, "that under natural conditions women are better than men. Nor that men are better than women. The double standard of morals was purely artificial. How to stop the evil results of the tendencies of these times was the question.

"We must lock the stable before the horse is stolen" she said.

"One hundred thousand people are now in our asylums demonstrating the force of inherited tendencies. Heredity and environment act and react upon each other, with the regularity and inevitability of the succession of night to day. Neither tells the whole story. Total ignorance of its principal has been looked upon as a charming attribute of the young mothers upon whose weak or undeveloped shoulders rests the responsibility, the welfare, the shame or the glory (the very sanity and capacity) of the generations that are to come."

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The decorations were unique and tasteful. Large palms, greens and ferns ornamented the platform, while above the Reliance banner was displayed. In other portions of the building, potted plants and cut flowers were arranged to advantage.

It was shortly after 8 o'clock that the entertainment commenced. Then the following programme was presented:

Overture, "Lustspiel" .... Keler Bela
Chorus, "On the Sea" .... Dudley Buck
Soprano solo, "Beware" .... Ernest Perring
Mrs. Martin Schultz.
Chorus, "Docton Saint Paul" .... Zelter
Selection, "Loie Skirt Dance" Otto Bendix
Chorus, "Doctor Saint Paul" .... Zelter
Solo by J. M. Robinson.
Soprano solo—
a. "Good Night" .... Robert Franz
b. "Confession.... Clara Kathleen Rogers
Mrs. Martin Schultz.
Chorus, "Ho, Jolly Jenkin" ..... A. Sullivan
Waltz, "Rendezvous" .... Geo. Posey

Each number was encored, and the musicians were generous in favoring with other selections.

Mrs. J. Cal Ewing was to have given a reading, but owing to illness she was unable to be present.

At the conclusion of the entertainment dancing was indulged in until 12 o'clock, the orchestra favoring with the following pieces: "Waltz, "Daughter of Love"; polka, "Naughty Boy"; deux temps, "King Cotton"; schottische, "Dancing on the Pier"; waltz, "My Little Sunday Girl"; deux temps, "My Darktown Gal"; polka, "Viceroy"; waltz, "Doris."

The members of the chorus are: First tenors—W. H. Rabe, W. Angus, W. W. Davis, E. O. Gray, Chas. Philpott, H. H. Haight. Second tenors—E. S. Dowdle, W. Walker, W. E. Montgomery, H. L. Taylor, Chas. W. Crist. First bass—J. M. Robinson, P. S. Carlton, C. L. Trow, H D. Gaskill, H W. Thomas. Second bass—Chas J. Evans, Dr. H. P. Carlton, Geo. B. McBride, O N. Le Noir, M. W. Jellett. J. M. Robinson, director.

The orchestra is composed of the following:

First violin—Geo. Lehner, A. A. Moore, J. P. Vane, A. H. Dewey, Eugene Colby, F. Hus, Fred Rowell.
Second violin—W. I. Macdonald, George Kleeman.
Viola—P. S. Carlton.
'Cello—Harry D. Danforth, J. Langstroth, W. Milwain.
Bass—A. S. Cantin.
First clarionet—Ed Leach, Al Imhaus, E. H. Baxter.
Second clarionet—F. J. Andrews.
Oboe—W. L. Mason, G. C. Cushing.
Flute—A. T Baker, O. N. Le Noir.
First cornet—W. G. C. Gross.
Second cornet—G. A. Campbell.
First horn—Frank Raynes.
Second horn—Clarence Crowell.
Trombone—R. H. Jordan, O. A. Danly.
Drum—Frank Fleming.
Piano—H. I. Bennett.
Chas. W. Crist, conductor.
Music Committee—M. Jellett, H. W. Thomas, Chas. W. Crist.

DR. RADER SUSTAINED.

The Congregational Club Says He May Think for Himself.

A sensation was created at yesterdays' meeting of the Congregational Monday Club, when Dr. H. C. French resigned and stated that his reason for doing so were because he could not conscientiously remain a member while Dr. William Rader was president of the club as he could not even tacitly endorse the latter's views of the Scriptures as he did not consider them consistent with evangelical Christianity.

Dr. French's resignation was immediately accepted by a unanimous vote.

A prominet member of the Club voiced the sentiment of the majority of the members when he said that the Club warmly endorsed Mr. Rader and recognised his right to do his own thinking.

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Opening of the Bench Show on Wednesday With Favorites.

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The coming dog show, which opens Wednesday evening, will be a success. There are more entries this year than ever before and there will be some magnificent dogs on the benches. The interest in the show is keen. Every dog fancier in the county has his or her special pet entered and the blood that flows through the veins of these canines is as blue as that of royalties. The Humboldt kennels, the Alameda County kennels and the Mount Shasta kennels have entered their animals. Thos. L. Prather, W. L. Prather, Jr., F. E. Miller, Dr. Mills and W. W. Moore have entered their prize dogs. There are several other animals entered which have not participated in bench shows heretofore. Dogs have been entered from every part of the State. Many of the animals are expected to arrive today, and the big Exposition building has been put in readiness for their arrival. The show opens Wednesday.

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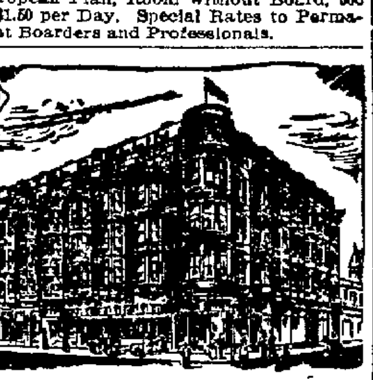

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7:41 a	Vacaville and Rumsey	8:04 p
8:04 a	Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, Santa Rosa, Martinez and San Ramon	5:46 p
9:37 a	New Orleans Express, Fresno, Santa Barbara and Los Angeles, El Paso, New Orleans and the East	4:09 p
9 37 a	Martinez and Stockton	4:09 p
9.37 a	Vallejo	11:45 a
†12:01 p	Port Costa and way stations	7:14 p
4:54 p	Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, El Verano, Santa Rosa, Martinez and San Ramon.	8:45 a
4:28 p	Benicia, Vacaville, Woodland, Knight's Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	9:14 a
......	Port Costa, Martinez, Lathrop, Stockton, Merced and Fresno	11:45 a
5:39 p	Los Angeles Express, Tracy, Fresno, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara and Los Angeles	7:04 a
5:39 p	Santa Fe Route, Atlantic Express for Mojave and East	7:04 a
6:40 p	European Mail, Ogden and East	9:13 a
‡8:36 p	Vallejo	†7:14 p
8:36 p	Oregon Express, Sacramento, Marysville, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East	7:14 a

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*9:10 a	Peters and Milton	*6:39 p
1:38 p	Niles, San Jose and Livermore	6:39 p
......	Niles, San Jose, Livermore and Stockton	6:39 p
5:09 p	Lathrop, Stockton, Modesto, Merced, Raymond (for Yosemite) and Fresno	......
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Ward and Vokes Make a Hit at the Macdonough Theatre.

The Vaudeville Company Does Big Business at the Oakland.

A well filled house greeted Ward and Vokes last evening at the Macdonough Theater, in their clever burlesque "A Run on the Bank." There is not a dull moment in the play, it sparkles with wit and gaiety and is presented in a finished manner. Ward and Vokes are both excellent comedians and years serve merely to accentuate the amusing eccentricities of their manner. They are novel and their comedy is mirth provoking. There is a dash and go about their plays that is lacking in the performances of many other comedy artists. Their new play "A Run on the Bank" is a delightful skit on "wildcat" banking. It is deliciously funny and some of the scenes are farcial in their ludricousness. The specialties are capital, the song and dance artists are unusually clever and introduce several novelties. Ward and Vokes close their engagement in this city this evening.

THE OAKLAND.

A crowded house greeted the International Vaudeville Company last evening at their initial performance at the Oakland Theater. Vaudevilles are always interesting and the artists at the Oakland are interesting individually as they give an unusually excellent performance. Their impersonations are remarkably clever; there is no straining in their character delineations; they are simple, natural and immensely humorous. Several new songs are given and the singers have clear, strong voices and sing with spirit and magnetism. There are two or three pretty women in the company who dance and sing charmingly. During the engagement of the company this week there will be a daily street parade at 3 P. M.

BALDWIN THEATER.

The attractive qualities of "El Capitan" do not grow less. A crowded house greeted last night's performance and seats are selling rapidly for all the remaining performances. The music is bright and taking and the plot an amusing one. De Wolf Hopper was recalled several times last evening and made a speech abounding in humor and happy allusions. It is one of the best organized troupes that De Wolf Hopper ever headed.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

A picturesque comedy drama was the attraction at Morosco's Grand Opera House last evening. "The White Rat" is an exciting play and obtains its name from the fact that a murdered sailor has concealed a diamond of great value in a stuffed white rat. There are several excellent specialties introduced in the play.

THE TIVOLI.

Denis O'Sullivan is constanly gaining in favor in the singing of the tuneful title role in "Shamus O'Brien" at the Tivoli. The opera has entered on the third week of its engagement and it continues to draw well. Mr. d'Arcy is popular and pleasing in his role.

THE ORPHEUM.

Several of last week's favorites are still drawing well at the Orpheum. Alexander Tacianu, the soprano-baritone, is applauded as heartily as ever while the dancing of the pretty Fleurette and the four Fleurs-de-Lis is gaining constantly in favor. Guille is again singing at the Orpheum and Lillie Laurel is singing some of the popular songs.

ALCAZAR THEATER.

The stock company at the Alcazar Theater made a decided departure from the beaten track of the dramatic amusements last evening when they presented Francis Powers' lurid little drama of Chinese life, "The First Born." The play is written from a Chinese standpoint and the treatment is both novel and realistic. This play was well received and Powers was called upon for a speech.

THE COLUMBIA.

"Excelsior Jr" proved a frost at the Columbia Theatre last night. The Chronicle today says that it is such a brainless lot of common-place trash with so few points in joke or business that it all fell very flat. Cawthorn, one of the stars is declared to have too many old gags to be able to make a showing and the whole performance did not create a very pleasing impression. It is trying to run on its New York reputation without the show to back it, according to the Chronicle.

THE MOULD CONCERT.

The testimonial concert to Mrs. Kate Mould-Morgan at the Unitarian Church Thursday evening, is assuming the proportions of a thoroughly delightful affair. The popular tenor, Alfred Wilkie, has been added to the list of artists and he will sing that old-time test ballad of Hobbs, "Phyllis Is My Only Joy" and a charming duet with Miss Royer. The sale of tickets is gratifying and substantial help to a most worthy and destitute woman seems assured.

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BERKELEY, May 11.—The knowing ones who have ventured to make prophecies concerning the military apointments have just about hit the mark this time. Lieutenant Winn announced the complete list yesterday afternoon.

The new colonel is George W. Bauer, captain of Company D, which won the banner last year and came second in the competition this year. Charles A. Son, captain of Company H, the banner company for next year, is to be lieutenant-colonel, and W. A. Starr of Company G, major. O. S. Case of Company F is ranking captain. The other captains are: B. P. Miller, Company C; Hubert Mee, Company B; F. P. Taylor, Company E; R. A. Kinzie, Company H; W. C. Jurgens, Signal Corps; W. Fletcher McNutt, artillery; Peter B. Metcalf and S. W. Cartwright, Company F, are promoted to the rank of captains from that of adjutant and lieutenant, respectively.

The first lieutenants receiving commissions are as follows: W. W. Everett, Company H; L. H. Earle, Company B; F. L. Lowell, Company C; E. L. Sadler, Company D; G. F. Reinhardt, Company G; J. D. Hatch, Company H.

They will receive commissions as retired officers, subject to call from the Governor.

It is indirectly reported that Charles A. Elston will be recommended as the best representative student of the class of '97 and the one most worthy of receiving the Regents' gold medal. Elston hails from Woodland, Yolo County. He has been editor of the "Berkeleyan" and captain of the baseball team during the past year, and his brother, J. A. Elston, is president of the Associated Students. He is a member of the Delta Upsilon fraternity, the Skull and Keys Society and vice-president of the college Y. M. C. A. Elston's reports during his college course have not been so high as those of A. G. Van Gorder and Miss Adele Schwarzschild, but Van Gorder was absent from college two years and Elston's prominence in college life in general is thought to have aided him.

The senior ball was given in Harmon Gymnasium last evening and in spite of rumors to the contrary, it was a brilliant affair, and well attended. Mrs. Martin Kellogg, Mrs. Bernard Moses, Mrs. Thomas Bacon, and Mrs. Frederick Slate were patronesses. J. Brockway Metcalf acted as floor manager. The reception committee consisted of J. A. Hatch, Eugene Kennedy, Miss Bertha Knox and J. Russ Selfridge. The members of the Senior ball committee were G. H. Whipple, C. A. Elston, Dudley Dean, Miss Ethel Olney, Miss Grace Love and Tracy Crawford.

The University Science Association met last night for the last time this term. Prof. Lawson, president of the Association, read a paper on "The Flooding of the Golden Gate." He described the movements of uplifting and sagging of the earth's crusts, and said that a sagging movement was now going on along the coast from Russian river to Monterey bay. The San Francisco bay is caused by this sinking, and in time, the peninsula of San Francisco may go beneath the waves.

The School Census Marshal's report shows that the number of school children in Berkeley between the ages of 5 and 17 years has increased from 2625 last year to 2699 this year. This is an increase of about 10 per cent. As the population was 11,220 last year. It is estimated at 12,276 for this year, an increase of 1,056.

The blind pupils of the State Institution will give their annual concert on June 1st. The graduating exercises will take place on June 4th.

It is announced that Governor Budd will probably speak at the commencement exercises tomorrow afternoon. The Rev. Dr. Alger and President Kellogg will make addresses.

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Constable Cronin has revoked the appointments of two of his deputies, B. W. Worley and A. J. Haher.

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Office of the City Clerk of the City of Oakland, City Hall, May 10, 1897.

J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.
By B. F. HOLLAND, Deputy.

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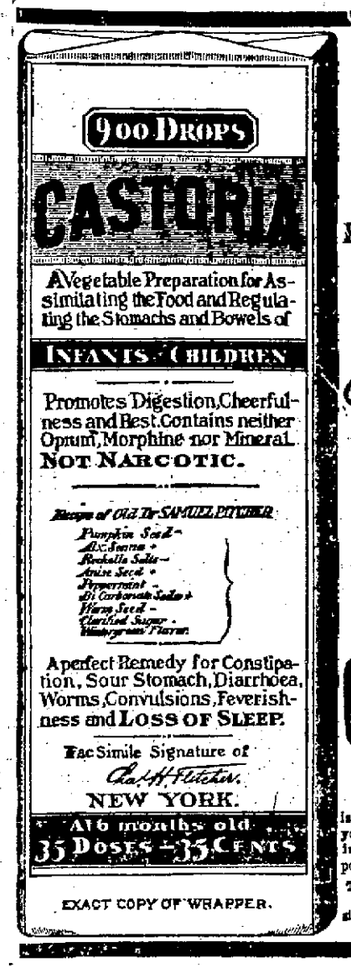

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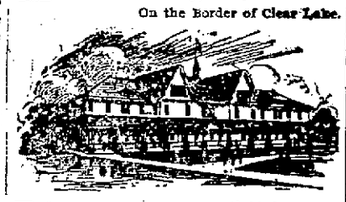

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Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I.

Whenever any case of smallpox, diphtheria, scarlatina, Asiatic cholera, tuberculosis or other contagious disease has existed in any building or other place within the city of Oakland, it shall be the duty of the householder or proprietor of such place, or, if such place has ceased to be occupied, then of the owner thereof, to immediately and thoroughly fumigate and disinfect said premises in the manner and to such extent as the Health Department may direct. The fumigation and disinfection to be done at the expense of the city.

SECTION II.

Every person violating any provision of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not to exceed one hundred dollars, and in case such fine be not paid, then the person so fined shall be imprisoned at the rate of one day for every two dollars of the fine so imposed and remaining unpaid.

SECTION III.

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., May 3rd, 1897.

Passed to print by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs. Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Fibush, Girard, Heitmann, Henneberry, Rowe, Upton and President Pringle—10.

Noes—Mr. Watkinson—1.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, May 8th, 1897.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Marion Elizabeth Day, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Marion Elizabeth Day, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, at No. 977 5th street, Oakland, Cal., which said place the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Marion Elizabeth Day, deceased.

CHARLES E. DAY,
Administrator of the estate of Marion Elizabeth Day, deceased.

Dated, Oakland, May 6th, 1897.

LEGAL.

ASSESSOR'S Notice to Taxpayers!

Oakland, March 1st, 1897.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 15, 1897, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

First Monday of March, 1897

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629 Political Code becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars, and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 15th, 1897, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1897.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County, Oakland, California.

Assessor's Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax Notice.

Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

Oakland, March 1st, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax for two dollars each for the year 1897, is now due and payable at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Section 3833 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

The same laws apply to the collection of Road Poll Tax as to the collection of State Poll Tax.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County, Oakland, California.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

No. 4203.

In the matter of the estate of Phillip Boogar, deceased.

Order to show cause why order of sale of real estate should not be made.

It appearing to the satisfaction of said Court by the duly verified petition this day presented and filed by P. F. Benson and E. M. Paterson, the executors of the estate of Phillip Boogar, deceased, praying for an order of sale of real estate, that it is necessary to sell the whole or some portion of the real estate belonging to the estate of said deceased, to pay the debts outstanding against the said deceased, and the debts, expenses and charges of administration:

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before said Superior Court on Monday, the 14th day of June, A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of said Court, Department No. 4, at the Courthouse in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, then and there to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said executors to sell so much of said real estate as shall be necessary, and that a copy of this order be published four successive weeks in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in said Alameda county.

Dated May 7th, 1897.

F. B. OGDEN,
Judge of the Superior Court.

Notice of filing report of Commissioners in the matter of opening and widening Athol avenue from the eastern line of Newton avenue to the northwestern line of Watson avenue.

City Clerk's office, Oakland, Cal., May 4th, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners heretofore appointed to assess benefits and damages and to have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement of opening and widening Athol avenue from the eastern line of Newton avenue to the northwestern line of Watson avenue, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1764, have this day filed in this office and with the Clerk of the City Council of said city their written report, showing their assessment of benefits and the damages, together with the plat of the assessment district, showing the land taken and to be taken for the work or improvement aforesaid, and the lands assessed, also showing the relative location of each district, block, lot or portion of lot and its dimensions.

Said report and plat are now and will be open to inspection in this office, and all persons interested therein and in said opening are hereby required to show cause, if any, why said report should not be confirmed by the City Council, by the filing of written objections thereto with the said Clerk of the City Council on or before the 7th day of June, 1897.

(Seal) J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

By E. F. HOLLAND, Deputy.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance changing the names of certain streets in the city of Oakland.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I.

The names of the following streets are respectively changed, and shall be known and designated as follows:

Taylor street, extending from Peralta street westerly, changed to Ninth street.

Seward street, extending from Peralta street westerly, changed to Tenth street.

Lincoln street, extending from Peralta street westerly, changed to Eleventh street.

SECTION II.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., May 3rd, 1897.

Passed to print by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs. Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Fibush, Girard, Heitmann, Henneberry, Rowe, Upton, Watkinson and President Pringle—11.

Noes—None.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, May 7th, 1897.

LEGAL.

IN THE MATTER OF Opening A STREET THROUGH CEMETERY CREEK CANON

Street Superintendent's Notice Requiring Payment of Assessment.

Office of the Superintendent of Streets, Oakland, Cal., May 6th, 1897.

In compliance with law, notice is hereby given that on May 5th, 1897, I received from the City Clerk of the city of Oakland, and the Clerk of the City Council of said city, a certified copy of the written report, assessment and plat accompanying the same, made by the commissioners appointed by the City Council of the city of Oakland, to assess benefits and damages and have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement of opening a street through Cemetery Creek Canon from 24th street to the northern boundary line of the city of Oakland, also the lands to be assessed for said improvement in said city, which said report, assessment and plat were filed by said commissioners, March 11th, 1897, and passed upon, confirmed, approved and adopted (after notice given of the day fixed for hearing upon said report) by said City Council at a meeting thereof held on the third day of May, 1897, and that the assessment therein contained is now due and payable, and is a lien upon all the property contained and described therein, as therein assessed for its proportion for the cost of said improvement as shown by said assessment.

Notice is also given, that all sums levied and assessed in and by said assessment roll are due and payable immediately, and that the payment of each of said sums respectively is to be made to me within thirty (30) days from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: thirty days from May 6th, 1897, and that all assessments not paid before the expiration of said thirty days will become and will be declared to be delinquent, and that thereafter the sum of five (5) per cent upon the amount of each delinquent assessment, together with the cost of advertising each delinquent assessment, will be added thereto.

Dated May 6th, 1897.

M. K. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets of the city of Oakland and Street Superintendent of the city of Oakland.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance ordering the opening and widening of East 21st street, between 16th avenue and a line parallel with and 296.5 feet easterly at right angles from the eastern line of Thirteenth avenue, and appointing three Commissioners to have general supervision of the proposed work.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I.

Whereas, The said Council did, on the 18th day of November, 1896, adopt its Resolution of Intention No. 22,586, declaring its intention to order the following work and improvement to be made, to-wit: That East Twenty-first street, in the city of Oakland, be opened and widened between the western line of Sixteenth avenue and a line parallel with and 296.5 feet easterly at right angles from the eastern line of Thirteenth avenue, describing the work to be done and the land and premises deemed necessary to be taken therefor, and specifying the exterior boundaries of the lands to be affected and benefited by said work and improvement, and to be assessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses thereof, and

Whereas, The Street Superintendent of the city of Oakland did thereupon cause notice of the passage of said Resolution to be posted and published for ten days in the manner and as required by law; and

Whereas, More than ten days have elapsed after the expiration of the time of publication of said notice, and no objections have been made or filed to the work therein referred to, and the Council has acquired jurisdiction to order said work to be done; now therefore it is hereby ordered that said work and improvement be done as aforesaid referred to, and in said Resolution of Intention specially described.

SECTION II.

Chas. H. Daly, Samuel Swift and F. E. Brunker are hereby appointed Commissioners to assess benefits and damages and have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement until the completion thereof in compliance with law.

SECTION III.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., May 3rd, 1897.

Passed to print by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs. Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Fibush, Girard, Heitmann, Henneberry, Rowe, Upton, Watkinson and President Pringle—11.

Noes—None.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, May 8th, 1897.

ORDER OF SALE OF INSOLVENT'S PROPERTY.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of Christian Sauer, an insolvent debtor.

Order of sale of insolvent's property.

Upon reading and filing the petition of G. H. Perry, assignee of the estate of Christian Sauer, an insolvent debtor, praying for an order to sell real estate belonging to said estate, and it appearing to the Court that it is necessary to sell all the real estate of said insolvent debtor, vested in the assignee.

It is ordered that said assignee sell at public auction, giving ten days' previous notice thereof by publication in the Fresno Republican, a newspaper published in the county of Fresno, and also in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper published in said Alameda county, of the time, place and conditions of said sale, all the said real estate; that said property be sold to the highest bidder for cash; that if the said property be not disposed of upon the day fixed in the said notice of sale, then the sale may be continued from day to day until all said property is disposed of. The following is a description of the real estate belonging to said insolvent debtor's estate which is ordered to be sold, situated in the county of Fresno, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot number 15 in block number 9 of the Altamont Addition to the City of Fresno according to the official map of the same now on file in the office of the County Recorder of Fresno county. Subject to confirmation of this Court.

Upon any sale being made, the assignee shall execute to the purchaser all necessary conveyance and bills of sale.

Done in open Court.

JOHN ELLSWORTH,
Judge of the Superior Court.

Dated April 28th, 1897.
Filed April 28th, 1897.

FRANK C. JORDAN, County Clerk.
By JOHN A. ROBINSON, Deputy Clerk.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Margaret Hoye, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of the estate of Margaret Hoye, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor at the office of W. W. Watson, rooms 23-29, 120 Sutter street, San Francisco, California, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Margaret Hoye, deceased.

LLOYD P. LARUE,
Executor of the estate of Margaret Hoye, deceased.

Dated April 28th, 1897.

A COSTLY BLAZE.

The Adams and Baker Places Visited by a Fire.

ABOUT $30,000 DAMAGE DONE.

The Furniture Saved by the Hard Work of the Neighbors.

BOTH BARNS WERE IGNITED.

No One Knows, Though, How the Conflagration Started.

Two of the oldest and most handsome residences in Oakland were visited by fire yesterday afternoon. One was the old Houghton mansion at Thirteenth and Jackson streets, now occupied by Edson F. Adams, and the other was the Baker residence at Thirteenth and Madison, owned by J. H. Swift.

Friends of both families worked in removing the more valuable furniture and to their efforts was due the fact that very little of value was damaged by fire or water.

A number of heroic young ladeis assisted in removing much of the bric-a-brac. Of these the more prominent were: Misses Hattie and Jessie Kimball, Alice Stephenson, Sadie Sinclair, May and Ray Vrooman and Josie and Kate Chabot.

When all was over, it was found that the Baker and Adams barns had been burned to the ground. The Dayton barn, next door to the Adams property on Jackson street had two sides left, and the roof, attic and back of the Baker home was destroyed. The Adams residence was damaged to a greater extent. The east side, gables, upper and part of the second story were destroyed, while the whole building was soaked with water.

How the fire started is a mystery. Several theories have been advanced as to the origin, but nothing definite is known. It is claimed by some that the fire started in the Baker barn, by others that it started in a cowshed built in the alley-way between the Baker and Adams barns, while still others say that an ash barrel in the alley way was the cause of all the damage. The best proof is in favor of the idea that it started in the Adams barn.

It was 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon when flames were seen to burst from the Baker barn and 8 o'clock saw the firemen still working on the charred remains of the three barns and extinguishing a few mouldering coals in the two mansions.

At the time the fire broke out the persons in the Adams house were Mrs. Adams and her cousin Miss Ella Sterrott, and the servants.

The Adams Chinese cook was standing on the back porch when he saw smoke issuing from the Baker barn. He ran into the house and told a servant girl, who telephoned to the Central telephone station. The line between the engine house and the telephone station was busy, however, and a connection could not be made. In the meantime some young men who were playing tennis in the lot next to the Baker place attempted to notify the department.

Herbert Hume mounted his steed and rode to the chemical engine house at Thirteenth and Webster streets. Another young man tried to turn in an alarm from box 9, at Twelfth and Madison streets, but they were unable to get the box open.

All this time the flames were raging in the two barns. Chemical engine 1 was the first on the scene. When it arrived the fire had reached the side of the Adams house, but it was soon extinguished. The department then turned its attention to the barns. Naturally the heat from the barns caused the Adams house to again ignite, and before the department realized it the flames were playing havoc with the gables and under the roof of that structure. From that time on for a couple of hours the fire in the Adams house was beyond the department's control. It seemed impossible for Chief Fair to run a line to the seat of the flames, and orders were given and countermanded in quick succession. To add to the confusion of things the hose burst three or four times, and other hose had to be supplied to take its place. All this caused serious delay.

While the department was paying its attention to the Adams house and the two barns, the back of the Baker house became ignited, and the flames quickly crept to the roof, where, once under the roof and in the attic, they raged at will.

Assistant Chief Murdock was ordered to take charge of the Baker fire, and he quickly ran a line through the second story window in the back hall of the house. He had just succeeded in getting an excellent force on the flames when the hose burst. Without unnecessary loss of time, Murdock ran another line through the window and then commenced the most desperate fight of the day. It was necessary to run the line up a narrow, winding flight of stairs to the attic, and the smoke made it almost impossible to locate the flames. Perseverance won in the end, however, and the blaze was finally got under control.

Meantime, on the roof, Fireman Bert Swan evoked the cheers of the assembled crowd by taking a line up over the gables. Three times the hose slipped from under his arms, and three times at the risk of his neck he regained it. Today he is the hero of the department.

The damage of the fire will probably aggregate $30,000. The Houghton mansion was insured for $10,000. When the place was let to Edson Adams, General Houghton placed $8,000 insurance on the furniture, $1,000 on the oil paintings, $1,500 on the fresco work and $600 on the barn; in all, $14,100. The house was built for $16,000.

J. H. Swift had $6,000 on his dwelling and $4,000 on the furniture, which he had stored in the building. It is said that G. W. Baker was fully insured, but the amount could not be learned.

The Dayton barn, which is a part of the Merritt, or Garcelon estate, was fully insured. The damage to the residence will amount to a couple of hundred dollars. Covered by insurance.

The willingness with which the friends and neighbors rushed into the burning dwellings to save the furniture and costly pictures was a feature of the fire.

It was fully twenty minutes after the [illegible] communicated to the rear of the [illegible] house before an entrance was [illegible]. Then a hundred earnest workers [illegible] to and fro, carrying to places of [illegible] furniture of all kinds. The pianos, [illegible] tables, side-boards, costly mirrors, [illegible]-ware and china, were early re[illegible]. The curtains, portieres and car[illegible] followed next, and finally even the [illegible] were taken out. There was [illegible] of time to do the work, for the fire [illegible] the roof very slowly. However, the firemen were unable to locate it until the smoke and water had completely ruined the frescoes and whatever else of value that was left.

The frescoes of the two front parlors were particularly fine. They cost $500 for each room. The hall and drawing room had also expensive work on the walls.

The furnishings were carried across the street, and later express wagons conveyed the goods to a store house.

Among the many who did excellent work in clearing the Baker house were Harry Thomas, Roy Macdonald, Beach Soule, Robert Jackson, Charles Parcells, Frank Barnett, Herman Gard, R. B. Ayer, Roy Craig, Harry and Ray Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Baker and their daughter Irene are visiting in Honolulu. As a consequence, many of the valuables were locked up, and it will not be known how much has been lost or stolen until an inventory is taken.

Thieves, under the guise of helpers, got away with several things of value. A lot of rowdies broke into the wine cellar and made free with its contents. A basket of champagne was carried into the tennis court adjoining, and while the helpers were trying to save some of the goods the hoodlums broke the necks of the bottles and drank themselves into semi-stupefaction.

At the Adams house the work of rescue did not progress so rapidly, for the intense heat drove the workers out. However, much of the furniture was saved from the lower floor, though in the upper stories little of value was taken out. A great deal of the parlor furnishings were ruined by being saturated with water indiscriminately applied. The billiard table and pianos, together with several pieces of heavy mahogany furniture, were safely carted away.

Harry Gordon directed operations here with a will. He commanded the rescuing party, and after a great deal of the furniture had been taken out he directed the hose company, taking hold of the line himself.

Thieves also invaded the Adams house. One man jumped from a front parlor window with a number of pieces of silverware in his back pocket. He escaped in the crowd before he could be detected.

Some of the furniture was needlessly ruined by careless handling after it had been taken from the burning building. Some mischievous boys added to the damage by mutilating furniture. This was particularly noticeable with the billiard table, the cloth of which had been wantonly torn, while the table remained by the road-side.

As soon as goods were taken from the burning house, there was no difficulty found in disposing of them in places where they could be out of the way of the pressing throng and in a measure safe from the cupidity of those whom their richness might tempt into acts of larceny or robbery. The principal place in which the goods from the Baker house were stored were the yard and home of R. A. Harris, on the east side of Madison street immediately opposite the burning house.

In the adjoining lot on the north, that surrounding the residence of A. J. Ralston, more goods were temporarily stored.

In the residence of Mrs. Sinclair, at the southeast corner of Thirteenth and Madison streets, a number of articles were stored also, and the same was true of the residence of Arthur Thomson, 117 Thirteenth street, and that of George W. McNear Jr., adjoining on the east. In the direction of these houses, the wind carried many sparks, some of which landed on the several roofs, but they fell upon moistened surfaces, because individual home hydrants were turned upon them with practical results.

The material taken from the Adams home was distributed along the lawns of neighbors on Jackson street. The walks and sward in the premises of Mr. Kent, at the southwest corner of Thirteenth and Jackson streets, were studded with articles of value.

At the northeast corner of those streets where stands the residence of Mrs. J. C. Kimball were deposited a number of books, large oil paintings and some richly carved furniture.

Some of the Adams and Houghton goods also found their way into the lawn of Mrs. Clara A. Hamilton at 1165 Jackson street, as did also some of the household property of Mrs. Dayton, who occupies the premises 1168 Jackson street, which is immediately north of the Adams home. This residence was in close proximity to the blaze, but was prevented from being burned by the wind, which was from the north and which carried the flames in a contrary direction. It was deemed advisable, however, to take out some of the goods, lest the wind should veer around, in which event the structure should meet the fate of the others. After the danger had passed away, the furniture and bric-a-brac were returned to the home.

With the thousand and one incidents which made the fire unusual, there was not wanting a feature which showed the urgency of the occasion and called for the display at once of gentleness and heroism.

The first of these was performed by Miss Annie Staunton in apprising Mrs. Scheeline of the fire and escorting her out of the burning Baker building. Mrs. Scheeline was sick and had been placed in bed but a short time before by Miss Staunton. A few minutes later it was deemed necessary for her to vacate the premises, and the retirement was accomplished in a very successful manner.

Another act of this kind was the escorting from the Dayton home of Mrs. Stewart, the mother of Mrs. Dayton, who is 92 years of age. The old lady was naturally feeble, and timid, and the fire tended to arouse fears which were finally allayed when she was tenderly taken across the street to the residence of Mrs. Hamilton, escort duty being performed by Walter Hackett and a couple of other gentlemen.

Much criticism has been expressed in regard to the manner in which the fire was handled by Chief Fair. He seemed to have completely lost his head in several instances, and the spectators were at a loss to find a reason why the Baker residence should have been allowed to become ignited. At Chief Fair's orders the department turned its attention to extinguishing the flames in the barns, when a little forethought would have admonished him that, by allowing the barns to burn and by concentrating his efforts in preventing the dwellings from becoming ignited, would have probably saved both those structures. Twice the chemical engine had the flames in the Adams house extinguished, but each time it was called away to again fight the barns, with the disastrous results already recorded.

ANOTHER BLAZE.

Slight Damage Done to a House Near Twelfth and Brush.

While the fire department was battling with the flames of the double fire at the Adams and Baker residences last evening, an alarm was sounded from box 54, at Brush and Twelfth streets. Two engines, their hose carts and a hook and ladder truck responded as well as the one at the City Hall. When the department reached the fire the flames had been placed under control by a garden hose. The fire was at 715 Twelfth street, between the Pacific Press building and the Adventist Church.

It is supposed that one of the young ladies in the house threw a lighted piece of paper into a kindling box. The fire spread to the wall and soon reached the roof, where it was discovered and got under control. The damage of $100 was covered by insurance.

They All Watched.

The police department at the Adams and Baker fire yesterday had its hands full. Chief Lloyd, Captain Wilson, Sergeant Hodgkins, the entire detective force and eight regular officers were kept busy during the time that the crowd remained.

OAKLAND'S GROWTH.

School Census Returns Show a Very Encouraging Condition.

MORE PUPILS THAN EVER.

Apparently No Increase in the Number of the Chinese.

BIG LOSS IN THE FIRST WARD.

But In All Other Wards There Have Been Substantial Gains.

The complete returns of the recent school census shows a large increase in the population of the city of Oakland.

The increased population is based on the net gain in school children on the ratio of one child to every five adults, and the exact figures give the gain in general population to be 2,870, but this is undoubtedly placing it at a very low estimate.

Secretary McClymonds of the Board of Education declares that the population has probably increased much more and places the net gain at 3,300 at the very lowest.

The school census shows a most encouraging number of pupils in the school department. The census report shows that there are now 13,857 children between the ages of 5 and 17 years. These are distributed as follows: First Ward, 1,941; Second Ward, 2,763; Third Ward, 1,945; Fourth Ward, 1,977; Fifth Ward, 962; Sixth Ward, 1,361; Seventh Ward, 2,908.

These are distributed according to races thus: White boys, 6,822; girls, 6,833; negro boys, 92; girls, 95; Chinese boys, 12; girls, 3.

Of children under 5 years of age, there are in the whole city, white, 4,708; negroes, 53; Chinese, 7.

During the past year 8,852 attended the public schools, 1,642 went to private schools, and 3,263 did not attend any.

The nativity of the children is: Native born, 13,055; foreign born, 570. One-quarter of the foreign born children are in the Seventh Ward.

During the year the First Ward has lost 156 of its former children and the gains are as follows: Second Ward, 195; Third, 112; Fourth, 96; Fifth, 85; Sixth, 31; Seventh, 211.

GRADUAL INCREASE.

The comparison of the two tables clearly shows the increased growth and prosperity of the city, as more children are now in school than ever before. The school department of Oakland was established in 1854, and the first records of 1855 show that 155 pupils were enrolled. There are now enrolled in the public schools 8,852 children.

The condition of the school is most satisfactory. There are 205 teachers in the department, and they are efficient and thorough in their work.

The report of Superintendent of Schools J. W. McClymonds shows a gratifying gain in attendance and punctuality. The Tompkins and Central schools have not attained as high an average as the other schools, but have gained some.

Superintendent McClymonds stated today that the attendance at the schools was never better than at present.

MR. McCLYMONDS' VIEWS.

"The census report shows a gain in every ward except the First," said Mr. McClymonds, "and this is probably due to the fact that many of the people formerly residing there are now living in the suburbs, but of course the cause may be assigned to different reasons. It is true that the report shows that there are 3,363 children between 5 and 17 years of age who are out of school, but this can be easily explained. Children are not allowed in the public schools until 6 years of age, while children between 5 and 17 are counted in the census. We estimate that there are 1,200 children between 5 and 6 years of age who are not in the public schools because ineligible, nor in kindergartens. Now, this number should be subtracted from 3,363, and that will leave 2,163 children between 6 and 17 who are not in school. Of this number at least 500 or 600 have graduated from the grammar school and have so completed their education. They have graduated at 14, 15 or 16 years of age, and are therefore still counted as eligible to public school enrollment. Then again, many children are forced to be breadwinners in these hard times. The father can't find work, the children can, therefore they must contribute to the support of the family. The children attend night school perhaps, and so continue their education.

"You will notice that the boys and girls keep fairly equal in numbers in the schools. There are eleven more boys than girls, according to the census. The Chinese population shows no great increase."

DOESN'T WANT HER.

Attorney Knight Talks About the Von Turkheim Matter.

Attorney George Knight, representing the Fair heirs, says that he has no desire to secure the return to California of Mrs. "Von Turkheim."

"I told Lees," said Mr. Knight yesterday evening, "that, in my opinion, she had nothing that would be of importance in the Craven case or that could be introduced in evidence. Our side of the case wants nothing to do with this woman. Charley Fair will not put up a cent to fetch her back, nor do we care whether she ever comes back or not. We know where all the important documents in the Craven case are and for that reason it is not at all probable that she ever had any papers that could be used in the litigation.

"Even if Delmas told her that the Craven deeds were forgeries her statement could not be introduced in evidence for it would be merely hearsay. Again, presuming that she heard the consultations between Mrs. Craven and her attorney, a statement of the conversations could not be introduced in evidence, for it would be of a confidential nature, such as the law recognizes as existing between attorney and client. Several people have been to see us about this woman and have asked if we would be willing to pay the expenses of her return. Our position since the beginning of this sensation has always been the same. We decline to have anything whatever to do with the woman. Her relations with Mr. Delmas have no bearing on our case and I do not care to discuss them.

In my opinion Delmas did all that a man could be expected to do for such a woman. She broke up his family, caused him to lose the roof over his head and made him mortgage his future for he has actually raised money upon crops not yet grown. What she may do if she returns here I cannot say, but I want it distinctly understood that neither Charley Fair nor myself will pay the slightest attention to her or to anything she may have to say. Even if she went on the stand and told her story I do not thing the public would believe it."

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What is a cough? It is an irritation of the throat and lungs. What causes it? Congestion. Stop the congestion, the irritation ceases and the cough is cured. But how to stop the congestion! Ah, there is where the physicians have always been puzzled. Some doctors give cod liver oil, others cough syrups, but the most advanced prescribe stimulants. Nature must be assisted. Pure whiskey will do it. See what physicians say:

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HYPNOTIZED BY 'PHONE.

A Remarkable Story Comes Up From West Virginia.

The Patient Half a Mile Away, but Completely Under Control.

Charles Ebeling, of Wheeling, W. Va., has successfully accomplished the feat of hypnotizing a person by telephone. Mr. Ebeling was at the Y. M. C. A. building and was connected with the Register editorial department for fifteen or twenty minutes. At the Register office he had his subject, a young man about eighteen years of age, and a couple of assistants.

When the connection was made the subject was brought to the telephone and upon the command of the hypnotist at the other end of the wire he was put into a sleep. The subject was instructed to hold his hands together, and he was put into a hypnotic trance while one of the assistants held the telephone receiver to his ear.

The first suggestion made to him was that he could not unlock his hands, and the subject tried convulsively to get them apart and very nearly fell out of the chair while making the attempt. He was brought to again by the receiver being put to his ear and the hypnotist giving the word.

When he was brought to he was perspiring freely from his exertions. He was next put into a sleep, and while in that condition pins were run through the flesh of his wrist and pulled out a few minutes afterwards without drawing any blood.

The next was the rigid test. The receiver was put to the subject's ear again, and upon the suggestion of the hypnotist his body became perfectly rigid. He was placed on two chairs, his head on one chair and his feet on the other. One of the assistants stood on top of the body, proving that it was perfectly rigid. These were all the tests made over the telephone wire, but were sufficient to show that it was not necessary for the hypnotist to be present in person, but that the same results can be accomplished by the sound of the voice conveyed to the subject's ear by the aid of electricity.

The experiment passed off smoothly, except that at times the subject could not hear the hypnotist's voice plainly, owing to the defective condition of the 'phone.

The young man who acted as Mr. Ebeling's subject has been under his influence before, although he has never been hypnotized over a telephone before. The fact that he has been under his influence accounts for the fact that he was susceptible to the hypnotist's power as soon as he heard his voice through the receiver. The hypnotist and the subject were separated about half a mile, but the same effect would have been produced at a distance of a number of miles.

Apropos to the subject of hypnotism is a telegram received from Simcoe, Ontario, that is interesting. It is as follows: The man hypnotized and buried in the ground for threee days has been disinterred. Great crowds followed the box containing the body to the opera house. As the man was being brought back to a normal condition he was very restless, and finally smashed the box he was in to pieces. It required five men to control him in his struggles until he was fully restored to consciousness.

Just as it was about settled that the war between Turkey and Greece was over a Philadelphia preacher announces that he will leave for Europe on the next steamer to fight for the Greeks. It is a shame that the sanguinary struggle should thus be reopened and prolonged.

Whistling is tabooed in the dressing room of the circus, because it is believed to presage bad luck. It ought to be forbidden everywhere within doors, not from superstitious motives, but on the grounds of propriety and good taste.

Your throat is weak. Any unusual exposure or quick change in temperature causes roughness and uneasiness. Sometimes you have a feeling of tightness as if some foreign body were there. You can treat it with troches and washes, but you don't reach the seat of the trouble. Throat weakness is a symptom of more general disturbance. Scott's Emulsion of Cod-liver Oil *does* cure weak throats by healing the inflammation and nourishing and strengthening the system.

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One Means of Bringing This City to the Attention of Others.

The summer market in real estate is encouraging both in its present state, and, more particularly in its outlook.

Inquiries that point towards favorable sales are received in large numbers by representative real estate firms. Prices continue low, but the indications for later sales are encouraging.

A number of real estate men were interviewed today by a Tribune reporter, and responded as follows:

The Laymance Real Estate & Investment Company.—"The market is more favorable. There is a noticeable increase in inquiries for improved and unimproved residence properties. We notice also that a large number of inquiries are for cash. Installment purchasers also feel more inclined to undertake purchases of property. We have had a great number of inquiries for miscellaneous auction sales. Inquiries for our sale Saturday, the 15th are interesting. The demand for furnished houses in Oakland for the summer is by far larger that for the last two seasons. There is a decided improvement in real estate circles. The large number of inquiries indicates a large number of sales for the succeeding months.

Mr. Benham of Benham & Thomas.—There are more inquiries now than I have known. There is very little speculation. If property is offered at a sacrifice, there are good sales. The large influx of representative people will necessarily favorably effect the market. I have suggested that owners of vacant lots should plant flowers in these, so as to improve the appearance of our city, and thus attract our Eastern visitors. This would greatly help the real estate market, especially during the summer.

J. H. Macdonald.—The outlook is better. We have made a few small sales recently and have several large deals on hand, that we expect to put through shortly. Inquiries are improving. People are looking around for small places for homes, ranging from $1,000 to $1,500.

E. G. Vinzent representing William J. Dingee.—There are many inquiries, but people in general are looking for bargains. The exchange business is better than ever. I do not think we can look for a material improvement until the fall when matters will be more settled. The tariff bill and these railroad rumors will then be decided. Prices have held their own on good property, while on poor property there has been a reduction of fully fifty per cent.

J. W. Moss—The market is better than it was a year ago. There are more inquiries for all kinds of property all over the town. There is also a call for country property and a big demand for exchanges in country and city property. Residence property is also in demand, ranging from $1,000 to $2,000 in value. It is a good time to buy, but not to sell. Rents are low, but there are indications of an increase. Renting is good.

A. H. Breed of the Lake Shore Company—Our particular interest at present centers in getting matters ready on the Adams Point property. Grading and sowering are going on. Many inquiries are being received. So far, thirty or forty people have written to me concerning the property. One encouraging sign has been that many persons from San Francisco, San Leandro and Haywards are inquiring, also people stopping at hotels who want to build. As for the general market, there will be much building of residences during the summer and fall. Property on the hills is most in demand, and that means a very good class of buyers. There is no call for cheap property, as people wanting such have not been able to invest on account of lack of work. The tendency is toward improvement. There is also a fair demand for business property at the value of about $50,000.

E. E. Bunce—Times of course are not as lively as we would like to have them, but then we are making allowance for bad times. I think a mistake has been made in going so far out of town with many of the recent deals. The city should first have been built up. I am not confining my efforts to purchasers at home. I am looking for others from abroad. For that reason I have scattered thousands of circulars throughout the East, every one of which is specially devoted to showing up the beauty and advantages of Oakland. These circulars will have the effect of making many persons inquire about this city. I have had inserted in Eastern papers over my own signature articles on the same subject, and these also will have a beneficial effect. I am hopeful of a very successful year.

THE FERREIRA CASE.

It Is in Progress After Some Delays in Judge Ogden's Court.

The trial of George Ferreira the Centerville man, who is charged with felony by Annie Nunes, who claims he promised to marry her, was started in Judge Ogden's court this morning, Judge Greene presiding.

The charges are very serious ones and the trial will be bitterly contested. The defendant has engaged quite an array of legal talent.

The entire morning was consumed in securing a jury and then Deputy District Attorney A. A. Moore Jr. made the opening statement, setting forth the facts.

JUSTUS GADING'S DEATH.

Pioneer Farmer of Mt. Eden Dies Leaving a Rich Estate.

Justus Gading, a pioneer of Mt. Eden, died Sunday night at his home. He resided in this county for forty-two years.

The deceased was born in 1835 at Bremen and was by turns a printer, sailor and soldier. When 20 years of age he came with his parents to California around the Horn and at once located at Mt. Eden, where the family has lived ever since. He leaves a wife and two children. The farm was a success from the time the deceased's father acquired it and the estate of Justus Gading is valued at $200,000.

Down in Alvarado.

A contract has been recorded between F. P. Hellwig and W. F. Emery, the contractor, for the construction of a one-story frame building on Canal and Seventeenth streets, Alvarado. The building is to be made into stores and will cost $2,580.

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An Insect Collection.

A. D. Pryal has been elected chairman and William Barry secretary of the new Horticultural Commission. It is the intention to establish an insect collection bureau, where beneficial bugs will be kept on exhibit, so that the public may obtain a knowledge of them.

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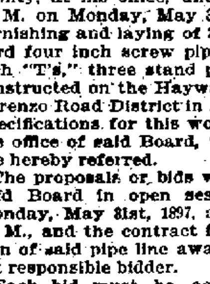

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I was very sick for two years, suffering from inflammation of the lungs and liver. I had consulted other physicians who could not explain my sickness. Called on you for thirty-four days and was cured, and am now enjoying the best of health—CAROLI CAROLO, 522 Green Street.

After suffering from kidney disease for ten years, I am now completely cured, thanks to your treatment—WM. GULL, Dalles, Oregon.

I have been troubled for ten years with kidney and bladder, and have been treated by several doctors but got no relief. I have been under your care but two weeks and have got relief.—W. J. ARNOLD, Santa Rosa, Cal.

I have been troubled for two years with inflammation of the lungs and heart disease; I had tried eminent specialists without avail. I heard of the wonderful cures by the eminent Chinese physician, Dr. Wong Woo, and determined to give you a fair trial, and after three weeks' treatment found myself perfectly restored to health—JOHN REGLI, Mission Road.

I had a severe and painful swelling of the knee. I tried different physicians but was unable to obtain relief, but within two weeks from the time I went to see you I was cured.—MRS. JONASSEN, 23 Hattie Street.

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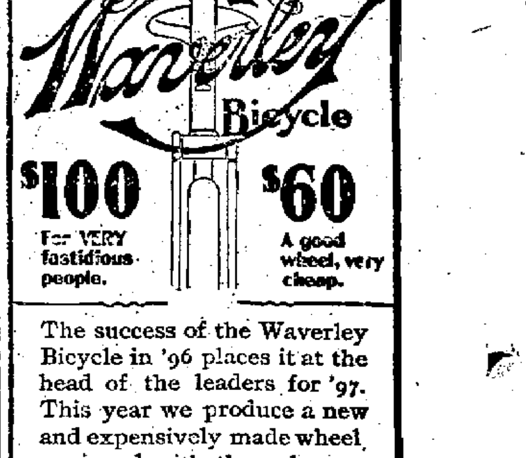

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, Alameda county, May 11th, 1897.

Sealed bids will be received by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, at his office, until eleven o'clock A. M. on Monday, May 31st, 1897, for the furnishing and laying of 3,000 feet of standard four inch screw pipe with two four inch "T's," three stand pipes, etc., to be constructed on the Haywards road in San Lorenzo Road District in Alameda county. Specifications for this work are on file in the office of said Board, to which bidders are hereby referred.

The proposals or bids will be opened by said Board in open session thereof on Monday, May 31st, 1897, at eleven o'clock A. M., and the contract for the construction of said pipe line awarded to the lowest responsible bidder.

Each bid must be accompanied by a check for at least ten per cent of the amount of the bid or proposal, certified to by some responsible bank and made payable to Frank C. Jordan, Clerk of this Board, to be forfeited to the county of Alameda as agreed and liquidated damages should the party or parties to whom the contract shall be awarded fail to enter into the contract within ten days after the award or to give the bond required by the Board for the faithful performance of the contract.

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